THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2022

FORTY-FIFTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by Mr. Speaker Sexton.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Reverend John Gunter, Fairview Baptist Church, Jamestown, TN.

Representative Windle led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The roll call was taken with the following results:

ROLL CALL

Representatives present were Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Eldridge, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Grills, Hakeem, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton -- 87

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following members have been excused, pursuant to requests under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Carr; illness

Representative Faison

Representative Doggett

Representative Kumar; personal

Representative Halford

Representative Gillespie

Representative Hurt; weather

Representative Haston

Representative Vaughan

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Representative Moody; weather

COMMUNICATION **February 3, 2022**

Jarrod Mitchell Brackett 520 Hill Street Madisonville, TN 37354

Re: Underground Utility Damage Enforcement Board

Dear Mr. Brackett,

This letter is to inform you, acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 65-31-114, I am appointing you to serve as a member of the Underground Utility Damage Enforcement Board. Your term begins immediately, ends June 30, 2025, and is served at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the appointing authority.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Kenneth C. Hill, Chairman of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission. Mr. Hill's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will perform the duties of the office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication, and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Cameron Sexton

Lt. Gov. Randy McNally CC:

Chairman Kenneth C. Hill - Tennessee Public Utility Commission

Kevin Johnson Jade Cooper Spenser Carder Connie Ridlev Karen Garrett

Anastasia Campbell

Tammy Letzler

SPONSORS ADDED

Under Rule No. 43, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Resolution No. 136 Rep. Marsh as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 747 Reps. Wright, Crawford, Towns, Ragan, Freeman, Beck, Hardaway, Clemmons, Hodges, McKenzie, Hakeem, Reedy, Mannis, Todd, Eldridge, Thompson and T. Hicks as prime sponsors.

House Joint Resolution No. 750 Reps. Crawford, Clemmons and Hawk as prime sponsors.

House Joint Resolution No. 759 Rep. Mannis as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 761 Reps. Reedy, Todd, Marsh and Sparks as prime sponsors.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 882, 890, 893, 894, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912 and 914; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 882 -- Memorials, Recognition 100 years of Bible history in Hamilton County. by *Watson, *Gardenhire, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro, *McNally.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 890 -- Memorials, Recognition Warden Mike Parris, Warden of the Year. by *Yager, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Gardenhire, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yarbro, *McNally.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 893 -- Memorials, Recognition Dr. Marie Chisholm-Burns. by *McNally, *Akbari, *Haile, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Rose, *Reeves.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 894 -- Memorials, Death Dr. Thomas Guy Fortney, Jr. by *McNally.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 896 -- Memorials, Recognition Daniel Johnson, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 897 -- Memorials, Recognition Mikalyn Hunt, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 898 -- Memorials, Recognition Kaylan Cole, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 899 -- Memorials, Recognition Denise Holt, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 900 -- Memorials, Recognition Michael C. Moore. by *Southerland.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 901 -- Memorials, Recognition Ashley Long, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 902 -- Memorials, Recognition Noah Helton. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 903 -- Memorials, Recognition Sonja Forbes. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 904 -- Memorials, Recognition Don Needham, Joe Q. Dougherty Volunteer of the Year. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 905 -- Memorials, Recognition The Bread Basket. by *Southerland.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 907 -- Memorials, Sports Ben Watts, Cocke County High School, All-Region Honorable Mention. by *Southerland.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 911 -- Memorials, Sports Madi Hawk, 1,000th career point. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 912 -- Memorials, Retirement Penny Petty. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 914 -- Memorials, Recognition Houston Davis, Memphis District Trooper of the Year 2020 and 2021. by *Rose, *Jackson, *Akbari, *Kelsey.

WELCOMING AND HONORING

RECOGNITION IN THE WELL

Representative Lamberth was recognized in the Well to honor Tyler Muniz upon his selection as 2021 House Employee of the Year.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Lamberth moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing House Resolution No. 137 out of order, which motion prevailed.

House Resolution No. 137 -- Memorials, Recognition - Tyler Muniz. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Sexton C, *Faison.

On motion, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

RESOLUTION READ

The Clerk read House Resolution No. 137.

Rep. Lamberth moved adoption of **House Resolution No. 137**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes87	
Noes0	

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Eldridge, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Grills, Hakeem, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--87

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

On motion, pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions listed were introduced and referred to the appropriate Committee:

*House Joint Resolution No. 752 -- Naming and Designating - Designates the Bible as the official State book. by *Sexton J.

House Naming & Designating Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 754 -- Memorials, Recognition - Day of Tears, January 22, 2022. by *Moody.

House Naming & Designating Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 755 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Encourages the Department of Environment and Conservation to install at least one universal adult-sized changing table in each state park. by *Doggett.

House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 756 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Expresses support for Afghan refugees and urges all social service agencies to welcome and assist those refugees. by *Thompson.

House State Government Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 757 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Supports ratification of the proposed Equal Rights Amendment to the United States Constitution; calls on the United States Congress to remove the deadline for ratifying the Equal Rights Amendment by the states. by *Powell.

House Civil Justice Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 760 -- Constitutional Amendments - Proposes an amendment to reduce the terms of office for judges of the circuit, chancery, and other inferior courts, the attorney general and reporter, and district attorneys general from eight years to four years. by *Miller.

House Civil Justice Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 766 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Encourages TDOT to collaborate with the Arkansas Department of Transportation, the United States Department of Transportation, Shelby County, and the City of Memphis on the construction of a new bridge over the Mississippi River at Memphis. by *Towns.

House Transportation Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 767 -- Memorials, Government Officials - Urges Department of Treasury to immediately divest all of Tennessee's financial investment from companies doing the work of foreign adversaries. by *Terry.

House State Government Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 768 -- Memorials, Congress - Urges Congress to enact legislation to grant statehood to the District of Columbia. by *Thompson.

House State Government Committee

RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions were introduced and placed on the Consent Calendar for February 7, 2022:

House Resolution No. 138 -- Memorials, Recognition - Dr. Sharon A. Webb. by *White.

*House Joint Resolution No. 769 -- Memorials, Recognition - Centennial Park Conservancy. by *Clemmons.

- *House Joint Resolution No. 770 -- Memorials, Recognition St. Luke's Community House. by *Clemmons.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 771 -- Memorials, Recognition Edley's Bar-B-Que. by *Clemmons.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 772 -- Memorials, Recognition Fat Bottom Brewing Company, 10th anniversary. by *Clemmons.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 773 -- Memorials, Sports Celina 5th and 6th grade girls' basketball team. by *Keisling.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS (Congratulatory and Memorializing)

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the resolutions listed were noted as being placed on the Consent Calendar for February 7, 2022:

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 882 -- Memorials, Recognition 100 years of Bible history in Hamilton County. by *Watson, *Gardenhire, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro, *McNally.
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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion, the following bills passed first consideration:

*House Bill No. 2513 -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner to report certain information regarding teacher license renewal requirement waivers submitted to the commissioner by teachers who, on each of their last three evaluations, received an overall performance effectiveness level of "significantly above expectations." - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3 and Title 49, Chapter 5. by *Cepicky.

House Bill No. 2514 -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes a special occasion licensee to designate an area in which liquor-by-the-drink licensees may sell alcoholic beverages and beer to patrons who may consume the alcoholic beverages and beer anywhere in the designated area; authorizes a festival operator licensee to provide a list of the liquor-by-the-drink licensees that will sell alcoholic beverages and beer to patrons in the designated area of the festival. - Amends TCA Title 57. by *Crawford.

*House Bill No. 2515 -- Beer - As introduced, expands the definition of beer to include lager and cider. - Amends TCA Title 57. by *Gillespie, *Hodges, *Freeman.

*House Bill No. 2516 -- Natural Disasters - As introduced, establishes the Tennessee flood resilience and community preparedness task force. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 58; Title 68 and Title 69. by *Reedy.

House Bill No. 2517 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, increases from 60 days to 70 days the time period for a governmental entity or employee to answer or otherwise respond to any claim, action, or suit brought pursuant to the Tennessee Governmental Tort Liability Act. - Amends TCA Title 29. by *Moon.

*House Bill No. 2518 -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, authorizes certain water utilities to enter into agreements with other water utilities to operate within their territory; requires those water utilities to establish a method by which ratepayers may petition the utilities to consider entering into such agreements. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 65 and Title 68. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2519 -- Purchasing and Procurement - As introduced, allows that at least three competitive proposals or quotes, in lieu of competitive bids, be used for purchases costing less than \$10,000 by or for a county road department or by a chief administrative officer. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 14; Title 5, Chapter 21; Title 12, Chapter 3 and Title 54, Chapter 7. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2520 -- Taxes, Privilege - As introduced, exempts retired professionals from the professional privilege tax; clarifies that providing volunteer work in their former professions does not change their retired status. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17. by *Sexton J.

*House Bill No. 2521 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, revises various provisions governing the prohibition or restriction of weapons at meetings or on property owned by a private or government entity, including eliminating the prohibitions a local government can place on possession of a handgun in certain locations such as libraries, child care agencies, buildings containing a law enforcement agency, and facilities that administer a Head Start program; removes the limitation of the concealed carry restriction to only persons with an enhanced handgun carry permit; makes other related changes. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2522 -- Lobbying, Lobbyists - As introduced, prohibits a family member of a member of the general assembly from being a lobbyist while the member of the general assembly holds office. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 6. by *Sexton J.

- **House Bill No. 2523** -- Lobbying, Lobbyists As introduced, prohibits a family member of a member of the general assembly from lobbying state or local governments while the member of the general assembly holds office. Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 6. by *Sexton J.
- *House Bill No. 2524 -- Firearms and Ammunition As introduced, eliminates the criminal offenses of possession of a firearm or club with intent to go armed, possession of a deadly weapon other than a firearm with the intent to employ it during the commission of a dangerous offense, possession of a deadly weapon with the intent to employ it during the commission of any offense other than a dangerous offense, and possession of a weapon with intent to go armed in a park, playground, civic center, or other recreational building. Amends TCA Title 39. by *Sexton J.
- *House Bill No. 2525 -- Forfeiture of Assets As introduced, enacts the "Criminal Forfeiture Process Act"; replaces civil forfeiture with criminal forfeiture process for property seized for forfeiture in connection with criminal offenses. Amends TCA Title 12; Title 39; Title 40; Title 47; Title 53; Title 55; Title 57; Title 67; Title 69 and Title 70. by *Sexton J.
- *House Bill No. 2526 -- Evidence As introduced, changes the date by which a district attorney general must submit an annual report to the general assembly on the use of administrative subpoenas to obtain certain internet records from February 1 to March 30. Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 47 and Title 65. by *Sexton J.
- **House Bill No. 2527** -- Drugs, Prescription As introduced, removes provision requiring the comptroller of the treasury to study by January 1, 2005, the use of prescription drugs in nursing homes and the costs of those prescription drugs for residents of nursing homes. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 53; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Ramsey.
- **House Bill No. 2528** -- Professions and Occupations As introduced, changes the requirements for professional counselors designated as mental health service providers and the field experience needed for such positions. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 24 and Title 63, Chapter 22, Part 1. by *Ramsey.
- *House Bill No. 2529 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission As introduced, changes the date by which THEC is required to annually report its findings regarding scholarship and grant programs to the general assembly from October 1 to September 15. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12, Chapter 3 and Title 49. by *Ramsey.
- *House Bill No. 2530 -- Local Education Agencies As introduced, encourages schools to offer automated external defibrillator device training to school bus drivers. Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68. by *Ramsey.
- *House Bill No. 2531 -- Professions and Occupations As introduced, changes the requirements for professional counselors designated as mental health service providers and the field experience needed for such positions. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 63, Chapter 22, Part 1. by *Ramsey.
- **House Bill No. 2532** -- Education, Dept. of As introduced, authorizes the commissioner to appoint representatives of various state government departments, offices, and agencies to the student support collaborative; requires the collaborative to meet during 2022 and develop a plan for expanding fiscal resources for student support personnel. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 2. by *Ramsey.

- *House Bill No. 2533 -- Sheriffs As introduced, requires a sheriff, deputy sheriff, or constable serving a summons, writ, process, ex parte order of protection, order of protection, or other civil process to make reasonable efforts, prior to or at the time of service, to determine whether the person being served has an outstanding criminal warrant. Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 36. by *Ramsey.
- *House Bill No. 2534 -- Planning, Public As introduced, authorizes a municipal planning commission to grant variances to subdivision regulations, if such variances are adopted at a public meeting of the commission. Amends TCA Section 13-3-402 and Section 13-4-302. by *Hicks T.
- *House Bill No. 2535 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities As introduced, requires nursing homes and assisted-care living facilities to permit at least one family member or resident representative who meets certain conditions to visit a resident of the facility during end-of-life situations if a disaster, emergency, or public health emergency for COVID-19 has been declared. Amends TCA Title 14 and Title 68, Chapter 11. by *Hicks T, *Alexander.
- *House Bill No. 2536 -- Annexation As introduced, requires that the written consent needed for the annexation of property primarily used for agricultural purposes be notarized. Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 51 and Title 6, Chapter 58. by *Hicks T, *Alexander.
- *House Bill No. 2537 -- Medical Occupations As introduced, clarifies that an applicant for a medication aide certificate can possess a HiSet diploma in lieu of a general equivalency diploma to fulfill that application requirement. Amends TCA Title 63. by *Gant.
- *House Bill No. 2538 -- Judicial Districts As introduced, deletes the references of the advisory task force to review composition of judicial districts, which no longer exist. Amends TCA Title 8; Title 16; Title 17 and Title 37. by *Halford.
- **House Bill No. 2539** -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, deletes the prohibition on apportionment of state sales and use tax revenue to the county revenue partnership fund for fiscal years 2007-2008 and 2008-2009. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Hicks T.
- *House Bill No. 2540 -- Basic Education Program (BEP) As introduced, sets the BEP instructional salary unit cost for the 2022-2023 fiscal year at the statewide average licensed teacher salary for the 2020-2021 school year. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3 and Title 49, Chapter 5. by *Potts, *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2541 -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, urges the department of transportation to study opportunities for financing electric vehicle charging station infrastructure in this state, including any possible corridors in which electric vehicle charging infrastructure, such as battery charging stations, may be installed; requires the department to report its findings and any recommendations to the transportation committee of the house of representatives and the transportation and safety committee of the senate on or before January 1, 2023. Amends TCA Title 9; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Williams.
- *House Bill No. 2542 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration As introduced, increases, from \$5.50 to \$8.50, the fee paid to county clerks for receiving and forwarding to the motor vehicle division of the department of revenue each application for certificates of title; allocates \$3.00 of the fee to be used by the county for the provision of services directly related to titling and registration. Amends TCA Section 55-6-104. by *Williams.

House Bill No. 2543 -- Taxes, Franchise - As introduced, changes from January 1 to January 31, the date by which the commissioner of revenue must report to the members of the finance, ways and means committees of the house of representatives and the senate with respect to certain franchise and excise tax credits for tax periods ending during the previous fiscal year. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 21. by *Hicks T, *Williams.

*House Bill No. 2544 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires a health benefit plan that provides coverage to a patient who is 35 years of age or older to include coverage for an annual screening by all forms of low-dose mammography for the presence of breast cancer; requires a health benefit plan that provides coverage for a screening mammogram to provide coverage for diagnostic imaging and supplemental breast screening. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7. by *Alexander, *Helton, *Rudder, *Littleton, *Carringer, *Smith, *Crawford, *Moody, *Holsclaw, *Hicks G, *Hawk, *Hodges, *Moon, *Vaughan, *Hulsey, *Gillespie, *Keisling, *Ragan, *Sherrell, *Mannis, *Whitson, *Warner, *Vital, *Todd, *Zachary, *Lamberth, *Boyd, *Bricken, *Powers, *Garrett, *Hazlewood, *Halford, *Marsh, *Johnson C, *Windle, *Hicks T, *Powell, *Beck, *Jernigan.

House Bill No. 2545 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, makes various changes to the qualifications for certification as a medication aide by the board of nursing; permits graduates of certain nursing programs to perform the duties of a medication aide if certain conditions are met. - Amends TCA Title 63. by *Alexander.

*House Bill No. 2546 -- Unemployment Compensation - As introduced, changes the date by which the commissioner of labor and workforce development must make a report to the general assembly concerning the condition of the unemployment trust fund from February 1 each year to February 15. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Alexander.

House Bill No. 2547 -- Building Commission, State - As introduced, authorizes commission to require a second appraisal prior to the disposal of certain government property. - Amends TCA Section 12-2-112 and Section 49-8-111. by *Alexander.

*House Bill No. 2548 -- Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, increases the time, from 30 days to 45 days, in which a landlord must notify the department or agency responsible for enforcing building codes that ownership of the landlord's property has changed. - Amends TCA Title 29; Title 39 and Title 66. by *Alexander.

*House Bill No. 2549 -- Libraries - As introduced, requires the library board to annually publish on the library's website the report the library board currently provides to the county or city legislative body, at its first meeting of each fiscal year, setting forth its capital and operational receipts and expenditures for the preceding fiscal year. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 10; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 49. by *Lafferty.

*House Bill No. 2550 -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, increases, from a maximum of \$50 to the amount of \$200, the fine imposed for a first violation of the requirement to stop upon approaching a school bus that is based solely on evidence from a camera that is installed on the school bus. - Amends TCA Section 55-8-151. by *Lafferty.

House Bill No. 2551 -- Purchasing and Procurement - As introduced, requires that materials related to competitive sealed bid proposals be open for public inspection after the intent to award the contract is announced; authorizes local governments to require interviews, presentations, or demonstrations for purposes of clarifying or understanding the bid proposal; prohibits disclosure of information from such interviews, presentations, or demonstrations to another respondent during negotiations for the contract. - Amends TCA Section 12-3-1207. by *Mannis.

House Bill No. 2552 -- Real Property - As introduced, exempts a person from having to retain a certain amount or percentage of the price of a contract for the improvement of real property in a separate interest-bearing, escrow account with a third party if the party withholding the retained funds and the contractor to whom the funds are owed agree on another arrangement. - Amends TCA Section 66-34-104. by *Mannis.

House Bill No. 2553 -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, specifies that an adult high school may provide virtual instruction; requires an adult high school that provides virtual instruction to satisfy the requirements established for adult high schools by the state board of education. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Hurt.

*House Bill No. 2554 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, expands the definition of "law enforcement officer" to include a person who has been issued an enhanced handgun carry permit; provided, that the permit is not suspended, revoked, or expired, for purposes of authority to carry a firearm under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *Hurt.

*House Bill No. 2555 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, specifies that a person who in good faith reports a criminal act committed against the person or another must not be arrested, charged, or prosecuted for prostitution if the evidence for the arrest, charge, or prosecution resulted solely from the person's report of the criminal act. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Moody.

*House Bill No. 2556 -- Taxes - As introduced, provides for an employer receiving an excise tax credit of \$2,500 per year, with certain restrictions, for each full-time employee that is a victim of human trafficking and is employed for at least 40 weeks during the calendar year. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 50 and Title 67. by *Moody.

House Bill No. 2557 -- Education - As introduced, prohibits an LEA or public charter school from knowingly entering into an agreement with an individual or entity that performs abortions, induces abortions, provides abortion referrals, or provides funding, advocacy, or other support for abortions. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Moody.

*House Bill No. 2558 -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, increases, from 45 to 50 days, the time a person who submitted plans for the construction of, or a change to, a solid waste processing facility or disposal facility must wait for action by the commissioner of environment and conservation before the person may appeal to the underground storage tanks and solid waste disposal control board, as though notice of disapproval were received at the expiration of that time. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 7; Title 49; Title 55 and Title 68. by *Terry.

- *House Bill No. 2559 -- Children As introduced, increases, from seven to nine hours, the maximum amount of time an individual child may remain in a child care drop-in center per day; removes the distinction between daytime, weekday hours and nighttime or weekend hours. Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 5. by *Terry.
- *House Bill No. 2560 -- Solid Waste Disposal As introduced, decreases, from 30 to 25 days, the time in which an applicant whose plans for the construction of, or change in, a solid waste processing facility or disposal facility are disapproved has to petition for a hearing by the underground storage tanks and solid waste disposal control board before the disapproval becomes final and not subject to review. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 20 and Title 68. by *Terry.
- **House Bill No. 2561** -- Interstate Compacts As introduced, enacts the "Occupational Therapy Licensure Compact" and the "Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact." Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 63. by *Terry.
- *House Bill No. 2562 -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, deletes the additional state tax of 2.75 percent applied to the amount of single articles in excess of \$1,600 but less than or equal to \$3,200; authorizes local governments to impose a local tax up to 2.75 percent on such amount. Amends TCA Title 67. by *Hicks G.
- *House Bill No. 2563 -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, creates a Class C misdemeanor for a person who has not attained 21 years of age to consume or possess vapor products on public school property that serves any of the grades kindergarten through 12. Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39 and Title 49. by *Hicks G.
- **House Bill No. 2564** -- Students As introduced, prohibits the use of corporal punishment against students; deletes various provisions relative to the use of corporal punishment. Amends TCA Title 36; Title 37; Title 39; Title 41 and Title 49. by *Hakeem, *Hardaway, *Clemmons.
- **House Bill No. 2565** -- Health, Dept. of As introduced, requires the department to develop a plan for providing remote use of the special supplemental food program for women, infants, and children at a substantially similar level as has been available during calendar years 2020 and 2021 and deliver the plan to the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house of representatives by December 15, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 67; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Hakeem, *Hardaway, *Thompson, *Clemmons.
- *House Bill No. 2566 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies As introduced, increases the potential net book value of an association captive insurance company's qualified headquarters from not to exceed \$2.5 million to not to exceed \$3.5 million. Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 13. by *Hakeem.
- *House Bill No. 2567 -- Expunction As introduced, increases from two to three the number of misdemeanor offenses for which a person can have the criminal records expunged if one of the offenses was a Class C misdemeanor. Amends TCA Title 40. by *Sparks.
- *House Bill No. 2568 -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires each institution governed by the board of regents, a state university board, or the board of trustees for the University of Tennessee to make the grievance procedure for the institution's support staff employees available on its website. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 49. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2569 -- Human Rights - As introduced, prohibits the state from discriminating against, or granting preferential treatment to, an individual or group based on the individual's or group's race, sex, color, ethnicity, or national origin in the operation of any aspect of public employment, public education, or public contracting. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 12; Title 13 and Title 49. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2570 -- Mental Illness - As introduced, clarifies that the department of finance and administration must convene its annual meeting on transportation service for persons with developmental disabilities, mental illness, and serious emotional disturbance by September 15. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9, Chapter 8; Title 13, Chapter 26; Title 29, Chapter 20; Title 33; Title 37, Chapter 1; Title 55; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Doggett.

House Bill No. 2571 -- County Government - As introduced, creates a supplemental pay incentive program for county correctional officers who receive 40 hours or more of in-service training per calendar year. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1 and Title 41. by *Doggett.

*House Bill No. 2572 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, for purposes of computing the number of years of creditable service in the Tennessee consolidated retirement system, requires that a member who is employed as a law enforcement officer receive an additional, automatic credit of one year of service for every four years of creditable service the member has earned. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35 and Title 8, Chapter 36. by *Doggett.

*House Bill No. 2573 -- Driver Licenses - As introduced, requires a person who is convicted of a human trafficking offense to obtain a driver license or photo identification license that bears a designation sufficient to enable a law enforcement officer to identify the bearer of the license as a person who has been convicted of a human trafficking offense; requires the department of safety to add such designation to the license of persons convicted of a human trafficking offense. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-314; Title 40 and Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Doggett.

*House Bill No. 2574 -- General Assembly - As introduced, creates a committee to review federal actions affecting this state and to report its findings to the general assembly for a vote on legislation to determine if the action has legal effect and is to be recognized under state law. - Amends TCA Title 3 and Title 4. by *Doggett.

*House Bill No. 2575 -- Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, specifies that if an anonymous report of harm is made to the department, a juvenile court must not order the parents or person responsible for the care of the child, or the person in charge of any place where the child may be, to allow the department entrance for purposes of interview, examination, and investigation unless the department has presented evidence corroborating the anonymous report of harm. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Doggett.

*House Bill No. 2576 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the Class E felony of a public official intentionally making a statement or distributing information to the public concerning public health, when the official knows or reasonably should know that the statement or information is false; defines "public official" as a person who has been elected to a position in local, state, or federal government. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *Dixie.

*House Bill No. 2577 -- Education - As introduced, removes the provisions of law regarding denial of a driver license or learner's permit to persons under 18 who are not enrolled in and making satisfactory progress in high school. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-3017 and Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Dixie.

*House Bill No. 2578 -- Probation and Parole - As introduced, requires an inmate to be released on parole upon reaching the inmate's release eligibility date or subsequent parole hearing if the inmate has not been convicted of a prior criminal offense, was not convicted of a violent offense, sexual offense, or violent sexual offense, has successfully completed the programming recommended by the department of correction, and has not received a Class A or Class B disciplinary offense under department of correction policy within one year of the parole hearing. - Amends TCA Title 40. by *Dixie.

House Bill No. 2579 -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, enacts the "Protecting Minors from Unfiltered Devices Act." - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Eldridge.

House Bill No. 2580 -- Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, permits the department to furnish its annual report on the operation of the department and the services and programs under its supervision to certain entities electronically. - Amends TCA Title 36; Title 37; Title 39 and Title 68. by *Eldridge.

House Bill No. 2581 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, changes the number of equal annual installment payments a government entity may make to pay an approved claim from no more than 10 to no more than eight. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 20; Title 24; Title 25; Title 26; Title 27; Title 28; Title 29; Title 33; Title 34; Title 35; Title 36; Title 37; Title 49; Title 50; Title 63 and Title 66. by *Eldridge.

House Bill No. 2582 -- Child Abuse - As introduced, requires LEAs and public charter schools to submit the contact information of the LEA's or public charter school's child abuse coordinator and alternative child abuse coordinator to the department of children's services at the beginning of each school year; authorizes a person to report directly to the department and law enforcement when alleged child abuse involves someone who is affiliated with the school. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-1601. by *Eldridge.

*House Bill No. 2583 -- Children - As introduced, changes the time period the department of children's services may place a licensed child care agency on probation for not correcting violations after being notified of noncompliance with the laws or regulations governing its operation from not less than 30 days nor more than 60 days to not less than 45 days nor more than 90 days. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 5; Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 4 and Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 5. by *Eldridge.

*House Bill No. 2584 -- Education - As introduced, redefines secondary education from including grades seven through 12 to including grades nine through 12. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Leatherwood.

*House Bill No. 2585 -- Election Laws - As introduced, revises and expands the manner in which the secretary of state and county election commissions must audit state and local elections. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 20 and Title 2, Chapter 5. by *Moon, *Rudd.

House Bill No. 2586 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, increases from 90 to 100 the number of days any governmental entity may store plate data collected or retained through the use of an automated license plate recognition system. - Amends TCA Title 10; Title 16; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 55 and Title 69. by *Curcio.

*House Bill No. 2587 -- Business and Commerce - As introduced, authorizes the sale or purchase of previously titled antique or unique motor vehicles without a motor vehicle dealer license through auction formats that meet certain criteria. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 17 and Title 62, Chapter 19. by *Smith.

*House Bill No. 2588 -- Governor - As introduced, establishes a process by which the governor may nullify a federal law, rule, or executive order for purposes of rendering such law, rule, or order unenforceable in this state. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 29 and Title 58. by *Sexton J.

*House Bill No. 2589 -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, requires all full-time police officers to receive annual in-service training on the common signs of child abuse and child sexual abuse, how to identify children at risk of abuse, and statutory reporting requirements; requires the training to be accomplished by the viewing of a video recording developed by a nonprofit charitable organization and approved by the POST commission. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 38. by *Rudder, *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2590 -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, allows a child to be committed to the department of children's services if the child is adjudicated delinquent for an offense that would constitute a misdemeanor if committed by an adult and the child has previously been adjudicated delinquent for another listed offense; requires an officer to make efforts to contact a child's parent or guardian when issuing the child a misdemeanor citation in lieu of continued custody, if the officer deems it appropriate. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 39. by *Rudder, *Littleton.

*House Bill No. 2591 -- Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to work with the department of human services and private, nonprofit community partners to establish a network of resources to provide information, assistance, services, and supports to persons from 18 to 24 years of age who are victims of child sex trafficking. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 37; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 71. by *Rudder, *Littleton.

*House Bill No. 2592 -- Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department, joint task force on children's justice and child sexual abuse, human trafficking advisory council, and the council of juvenile and family court judges to work together with appropriate public and private groups and organizations, including, but not limited to, Tennessee Counter Trafficking Alliance agencies, to identify and provide services to children who have been sexually abused or trafficked for commercial sex acts. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Rudder, *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2593 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, limits the liability of a service provider with whom the department of children's services contracts to provide care or services for children for claims based on the care or services provided or failure to provide such care or services to the amount for which the state would be liable for such a claim under title 9, chapter 8 if the state had provided or failed to provide the care or services. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 8; Title 29 and Title 37. by *Rudder, *Littleton.

*House Bill No. 2594 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, changes the date by which the comptroller must submit a report to the general assembly regarding the Tennessee reconnect program from December 31 to December 1 for each year a report is prepared. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Rudder.

*House Bill No. 2595 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, requires that retired wildlife officers with 25 years of service receive 80 percent of the scheduled premium or defined contribution for the health insurance benefits provided by the state. - Amends TCA Section 8-27-205. by *Hicks G.

*House Bill No. 2596 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, increases from 30 days to 60 days the amount of time the department of transportation must store, and during which time the owner may claim, personal property encroachments on the rights-of-way of highways that are removed by the department and determined to have value to the public. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 28; Title 29; Title 54; Title 55; Title 64; Title 65; Title 66 and Title 69. by *Hodges.

*House Bill No. 2597 -- Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, clarifies authorized method for county trustee to accept partial payment of delinquent property taxes; increases, from 30 days to 35 days, the time in which a county trustee must file a plan with the comptroller of the treasury before accepting partial payment on delinquent property taxes. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Hodges.

*House Bill No. 2598 -- Labor - As introduced, clarifies that the right to work provisions in law do not prohibit an employer and a labor union or employee organization, acting as the exclusive collective bargaining representative of the employer's employees or of a group of those employees but not public employees, to negotiate and enforce an agency fee provision in a collective bargaining agreement. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *McKenzie.

*House Bill No. 2599 -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to submit to the legislature a quarterly report on the public health impacts of gun violence on local communities, including data on the deaths, disabilities, and economic hardships stemming from gun violence, data on mental health ailments of perpetrators of gun violence, and research-based information from which to make informed decisions on how best to protect Tennesseans from gun violence. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *McKenzie.

*House Bill No. 2600 -- Purchasing and Procurement - As introduced, authorizes a local governmental entity having a non-centralized purchasing authority to, by resolution or ordinance of its governing body, increase the threshold over which public advertisement and sealed competitive bids or proposals are required to an amount not to exceed \$25,000 for nonemergency, nonproprietary purchases. - Amends TCA Section 12-3-1212. by *McKenzie.

House Bill No. 2601 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, revises various provisions of the Professional Educators Collaborative Conferencing Act of 2011. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *McKenzie.

House Bill No. 2602 -- Scholarships and Financial Aid - As introduced, revises the amount of a minority teaching fellowship award for a recipient who is enrolled in a degree program leading to licensure as a teacher in a four-year public institution of higher education with an approved educator preparation program from \$5,000 to the cost of tuition and fees at the respective institution. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4. by *McKenzie.

- *House Bill No. 2603 -- Sentencing As enacted, permits a defendant who was convicted and sentenced for an offense committed in a drug-free school zone under prior law to petition the original sentencing court to be resentenced pursuant to current law. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4 and Section 49-2-116. by *McKenzie.
- **House Bill No. 2604** -- Basic Education Program (BEP) As introduced, establishes that the BEP funds an additional \$100 to each K-12 teacher for instructional supplies for the 2022-2023 school year. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 3. by *McKenzie.
- *House Bill No. 2605 -- Law Enforcement As introduced, states that law enforcement personnel and the employing law enforcement agency are not liable for injuries to a third party that were caused by a suspect who flees from pursuit unless the law enforcement personnel was grossly negligent, rather than negligent, and that gross negligence was a proximate cause of the injuries to the third party. Amends TCA Title 55. by *Gillespie.
- *House Bill No. 2606 -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires private institutions of higher education to notify new students of the handgun carry policy of the institution. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7. by *Gillespie.
- *House Bill No. 2607 -- Solid Waste Disposal As introduced, specifies that counties may use revenues from tire pre-disposal fee for disposal of waste tires, subject to certain present law requirements concerning shredding and cost of disposing of waste tires in landfills. Amends TCA Title 67 and Title 68. by *Byrd.
- *House Bill No. 2608 -- Utilities, Utility Districts As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Broadband Investment Maximization Act of 2022." Amends TCA Title 4; Title 65 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Hazlewood.
- *House Bill No. 2609 -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, changes from 400,000 to 360,000 the county population threshold that would authorize a municipality that has a minor league baseball stadium placed into service between December 31, 2020, and December 31, 2025, in such county to receive and apportion tax revenue derived from the sale of admission to events occurring within the stadium and from all sales of food, drinks, merchandise, and parking sold from a location on the premises of the stadium in conjunction with events occurring within the stadium to be used to pay debt service for the stadium. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Hazlewood.
- *House Bill No. 2610 -- Prisons and Reformatory Institutions As introduced, prohibits the commissioner of the department of correction and a local governmental entity from entering into, renewing, or extending a contract for correctional services with a private prison contractor; deletes the Private Prison Contracting Act of 1986 upon the expiration of all such contracts. Amends TCA Title 8; Title 9; Title 12 and Title 41. by *Johnson G.
- *House Bill No. 2611 -- Charitable Solicitations As introduced, exempts a child care agency from the registration requirements for charitable organizations. Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 101. by *Johnson G.
- **House Bill No. 2612** -- Real Property As introduced, enacts the "Uniform Partition of Heirs Property Act." Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 27 and Title 66. by *Farmer, *Shaw, *Dixie.

- *House Bill No. 2613 -- Public Records As introduced, requires government entities to maintain records of information relating to the deaths of persons held in jails and prisons. Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7 and Section 38-10-102. by *Faison.
- *House Bill No. 2614 -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, extends the deadline by which a distressed rural county must apply to be eligible to retain the sales and use tax generated from a commercial development district from December 31, 2020, to December 31, 2024. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Faison.
- *House Bill No. 2615 -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, allocates a portion of state sales and use tax revenues to an eligible county or a municipality within the eligible county that is economically distressed for the purpose of funding certain capital outlay or other eligible projects; establishes requirements for such allocation. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Faison.
- **House Bill No. 2616** -- Lottery, Corporation As introduced, prohibits disclosure of a lottery winner's name and other personal information unless expressly authorized by the winner except in circumstances of debt due to a state claimant agency or in furtherance of other statutory or regulatory duties of government. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 51 and Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5. by *Holsclaw.
- **House Bill No. 2617** -- Law Enforcement As introduced, requires each law enforcement agency to post the agency's written policy prohibiting racial profiling to the agency's website, if the agency maintains a website. Amends TCA Title 2; Title 4; Title 8; Title 10, Chapter 7; Title 38 and Title 66. by *Crawford.
- *House Bill No. 2618 -- Landlord and Tenant As introduced, increases, from not less than 30 days to not less than 45 days, the time within which a landlord must store the personal possessions and effects of a tenant who has abandoned a property. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 66 and Title 71. by *Harris.
- **House Bill No. 2619** -- Law Enforcement As introduced, requires a law enforcement officer conducting a traffic stop of a motor vehicle for certain traffic violations to ensure that the traffic stop occurs in a safe location unless the officer determines it would not be in the interest of public safety. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 63, Part 1; Title 38 and Title 55. by *Harris.
- **House Bill No. 2620** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, creates the Class A misdemeanor offense of recklessly storing a firearm in a manner that the person knows or reasonably should know will allow a child under 18 years of age to access the firearm and the child brings to the firearm to a school. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Harris.
- **House Bill No. 2621** -- Foster Care As introduced, requires each LEA to designate a foster care liaison to collaborate with the department of children's services to address educational barriers for students in foster care and to facilitate compliance with applicable state and federal laws; allows each LEA to appoint a building point of contact in each elementary, middle, and high school to coordinate with the foster care liaison. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 37 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Harris.
- **House Bill No. 2622** -- Election Laws As introduced, changes the nomination process for candidates for United States senator. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 13. by *Powers.

House Bill No. 2623 -- Children - As introduced, specifies that a court's order for grandparent visitation must include written findings of fact and conclusions of law to support the basis of the order. - Amends TCA Title 36 and Title 37. by *Powers.

House Bill No. 2624 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, changes the date by which the commissioner of health must annually prepare a report comparing price level determinations under the Third-Party Prescription Program Act from January 31 to March 1. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 58; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Baum.

*House Bill No. 2625 -- TennCare - As introduced, changes from January 15 to February 15 the date by which the bureau must submit an annual report to the chairs of the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house of representatives that describes the nature and purpose of any requests to utilize data from the all payer claims database submitted to the bureau or the health information committee. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5. by *Baum.

*House Bill No. 2626 -- Air Pollution - As introduced, reduces from 90 to 75 the number of days within which the air pollution control board is required to notify appointing authorities of a vacancy on the board and the number of days within which an appointing authority must fill the vacancy following notification. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 68, Chapter 201. by *Baum.

*House Bill No. 2627 -- Architects, Engineers and Designers - As introduced, creates licensure requirements for the regulation of landscape architects. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 2. by *Crawford.

*House Bill No. 2628 -- Local Government, General - As introduced, upon veto by a county mayor of a resolution passed by a county legislative body, extends from 20 to 30 days the period of time by which the legislative body may override the veto by subsequent passage of the vetoed resolution by a majority vote of the legislative body. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 8. by *Cochran.

*House Bill No. 2629 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, authorizes the board of physician assistants to notify by electronic communication the board of medical examiners, board of osteopathic examination, or board of podiatry of a disciplinary action issued against a licensee; authorizes the board of physician assistants to notify by electronic communication the licensing board of the primary collaborating physician of record when a disciplinary action is issued for a violation involving the prescribing, dispensing, or issuing of controlled substances by a physician assistant. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 63, Chapter 19, Part 1. by *Cochran.

*House Bill No. 2630 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, extends the issuances of teacher endorsement exemptions and teacher temporary permits for courses with end-of-course exams to the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 school years; requires the state board of education to promulgate rules to create teacher licensure and endorsement exemptions in the event a public school cannot fill a vacancy with a qualified person during a state of emergency. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Cochran.

*House Bill No. 2631 -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, increases, from 30 to 45 days, the time after notice and an opportunity for a public hearing that a county legislative body or municipal governing body has to approve or disapprove a proposed new construction for solid waste disposal or processing by a landfill. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 68. by *Cochran.

- **House Bill No. 2632** -- Public Utilities As introduced, clarifies that the public utility commission has general supervisory and regulatory power, jurisdiction, and control over radio common carriers and commercial mobile radio services engaged in the federal universal service program. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 65. by *Cochran.
- *House Bill No. 2633 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel As introduced, specifies that a teacher or other employee of a public school or LEA is not required to refer to a student using the student's preferred pronoun if the pronoun does not align with the student's biological sex; insulates a teacher or other employee of a public school or LEA from civil liability and adverse employment action for referring to a student using the pronoun aligned with the student's biological sex instead of the student's preferred pronoun. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Cochran.
- *House Bill No. 2634 -- Boats, Boating As introduced, increases from six months to eight months the minimum length of time that boat liveries are required to preserve records of persons hiring motorboats. Amends TCA Title 69 and Title 70. by *Wright.
- *House Bill No. 2635 -- Public Records As introduced, specifies that the costs incurred by a records custodian for producing a public record upon request include the labor costs associated with locating, redacting, and producing each record requested for inspection. Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5. by *Wright.
- *House Bill No. 2636 -- Taxes, Business As introduced, allows certain retail and other businesses a deduction from business taxes for the installation of electric vehicle chargers. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 7. by *Beck.
- **House Bill No. 2637** -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation As introduced, designates Piney River as a Class I natural river area. Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 13. by *Travis.
- *House Bill No. 2638 -- Lottery, Charitable As introduced, authorizes qualified nonprofit organizations to file an application to operate an annual event in the July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, fiscal year. Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 17. by *Gillespie.
- *House Bill No. 2639 -- Taxes, Real Property As introduced, increases the maximum size of real property that is eligible for the property tax freeze program, from five acres to six acres. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Hazlewood.
- *House Bill No. 2640 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration As introduced, clarifies that the holder of an antique motor vehicle registration plate who operates an antique motor vehicle on a day other than the weekends or federal holidays in violation of present law and who forfeits the plate, is required to surrender the plate to the county clerk of the county of the person's residence within 30 days of the date of the violation. Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 8, Part 1; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Hazlewood.
- *House Bill No. 2641 -- Health Care As introduced, establishes a medical cannabis program under the purview of the medical cannabis commission; establishes a patient registry for qualified patients and authorizes the possession of certain medical cannabis products by qualified patients and designated caregivers; redefines the term "marijuana" to exclude products containing less than 0.9 percent delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 63; Title 67 and Title 68, Chapter 7. by *Terry, *Powell.

- *House Bill No. 2642 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance As introduced, authorizes the use of campaign funds for the child care expenditures of a candidate that are incurred by the candidate as a direct result of the candidate's participation in campaign-related events and activities. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10 and Title 3. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2643 -- Consumer Protection As introduced, establishes the blockchain and cryptocurrency study committee. Amends TCA Title 45 and Title 47. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2644 -- Public Funds and Financing As introduced, authorizes a county, municipality, or the state to invest in cryptocurrency, blockchains, and non-fungible tokens. Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 8, Part 3; Title 6, Chapter 56, Part 1; Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 6 and Title 47. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2645 -- Internet and e-Commerce As introduced, directs TACIR to perform a study of laws in this state and other states related to blockchains, and to prepare a report comparing those laws and designating those laws that create a positive economic environment for the use of blockchains, to be delivered on or before January 1, 2023. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 7; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 66 and Title 67. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2646 -- Driver Licenses As introduced, allows a foreign language interpreter approved by the department of safety to assist certain applicants during driver license examinations. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2647 -- Election Laws As introduced, increases the threshold, from 100 absentee ballots to 200 absentee ballots, under which the county election commission may act as the central absentee ballot counting board. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Eldridge.
- *House Bill No. 2648 -- Election Laws As introduced, requires a county election commission to publish a notice of the exact location and time of a supplemental registration on the county's and commission's website, if such website exists, in addition to a newspaper. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Eldridge.
- **House Bill No. 2649** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities As introduced, authorizes healthcare facilities to employ and commission police officers to provide security and law enforcement at the facilities. Amends TCA Title 38 and Title 68, Chapter 11. by *Williams.
- *House Bill No. 2650 -- Food and Food Products As introduced, removes language that previously cross-referenced a provision that was deleted by amendment in 2021. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 43; Title 53 and Title 67. by *Doggett.
- **House Bill No. 2651** -- Education, Dept. of As introduced, adds the education instruction committee of the house of representatives as a recipient of the the department's report regarding each LEA's compliance with the requirement to notify an association that regulates interscholastic athletics on a student's placement in foster care for purposes of eligibility to participate in athletics. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Byrd, *Doggett.
- *House Bill No. 2652 -- Annexation As introduced, lengthens the period, from 30 to 45 days, before an annexation approved in a referendum becomes effective. Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 51 and Title 6, Chapter 58. by *Byrd, *Doggett.

*House Bill No. 2653 -- Agriculture - As introduced, clarifies that "vacant public land" for purposes of the Tennessee Community Gardening Act includes property controlled by a parks and recreation department or similar entity that is not currently being used as park land. - Amends TCA Title 43, Chapter 24. by *Clemmons.

*House Bill No. 2654 -- Taxes, Business - As introduced, allows certain retail and other businesses a deduction from business taxes for the installation of electric vehicle chargers. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 7. by *Mitchell.

House Bill No. 2655 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, extends the statutory provision regulating reimbursements for healthcare services provided during a telehealth encounter beyond April 1, 2022; tolls, for the duration of any state of emergency, the 16-month period that a provider can offer telemedicine services to the patient without having an in-person encounter; permits a healthcare provider to provide medical services through telehealth if the service is not otherwise outside the provider's license. - Amends TCA Title 56 and Section 63-1-155. by *Hawk.

House Bill No. 2656 -- Sentencing - As introduced, requires that a person convicted of certain offenses serve 100 percent of the sentence imposed before becoming eligible for release. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2657 -- Sentencing - As introduced, enacts the "Transparency In Sentencing For Victims Act." - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 35. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2658 -- Children - As introduced, changes the date by which the commissioner of the department of children's services must publish the annual report of the department from January 31 to March 1. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2659 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts - As introduced, requires that all contracts entered into by the Megasite Authority of West Tennessee be reviewed by the state building commission. - Amends TCA Title 64, Chapter 9, Part 1. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2660 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, authorizes the department of commerce and insurance to promulgate rules regarding pharmacy benefits managers. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 56. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2661 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, increases from three to four business days the amount of time a pharmacy benefits manager or covered entity has to adjust the maximum allowable cost of a drug or medical product or device to which the maximum allowable cost applies for all similar pharmacies in the network for claims submitted in the next payment cycle after an appealing pharmacy's appeal is determined to be valid by the pharmacy benefits manager or covered entity. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5; Title 38; Title 53; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 71. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2662 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, reduces the number of years a pharmacist must be licensed in this state to be employed by the board of pharmacy as the executive director from five years to four years. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 56; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Sexton C.

*House Bill No. 2663 -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of - As introduced, increases from one to two the number of additional consecutive terms a member may serve on the advisory committee that reviews drug court treatment program criteria established by the department. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 16; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Sexton C.

*House Bill No. 2664 -- Railroads - As introduced, authorizes Cumberland County to establish a railroad authority of three or five members and prescribes the manner in which members are appointed. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 56, Part 2. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2665 -- Public Health - As introduced, clarifies that a healthcare provider subject to certain Medicare or Medicaid conditions of coverage is not a private business or governmental entity for the purposes of Title 14. - Amends TCA Title 14; Title 29; Title 49; Title 50; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2666 -- Textbooks - As introduced, requires the state textbook and instructional materials quality commission to provide a copy of the commission's proposed textbook and instructional materials list to the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 49 and Chapter 264 of the Acts of 1909. by *Sexton C.

*House Bill No. 2667 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, authorizes the commissioner of health and the commissioner of mental health and substance abuse services to allow certain rules to not be applied to certain healthcare professionals and students in order for those persons to operate outside of normal licensure requirements during a healthcare staffing crisis; requires certain notice to governor and speakers of the senate and house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Sexton C.

*House Bill No. 2668 -- Public Employees - As introduced, requires that certain retirees of the Tennessee wildlife resources agency and Tennessee bureau of investigation with 25 years of service receive 80 percent of the scheduled premium or defined contribution for the health insurance benefits provided by the state. - Amends TCA Section 8-27-205. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2669 -- General Assembly - As introduced, requires the facilities manager to ensure the official flag of the general assembly is flown outside the Cordell Hull Building. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10; Title 3, Chapter 1; Title 3, Chapter 6; Title 4, Chapter 55 and Title 8, Chapter 50. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2670 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, prohibits a public institution of higher education from taking certain actions with regard to divisive concepts and the ideologies or political viewpoints of students and employees; revises the duties of an institution's employees whose primary duties include diversity; requires each institution to conduct a survey of its students and employees to assess the campus climate with regard to diversity of thought and the respondents' comfort level in speaking freely on campus and to publish the results on the institution's website. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7. by *Sexton C, *Gant.

House Bill No. 2671 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, extends termination date from July 1, 2022, to July 1, 2023, for limitations on claims against a person for loss, damage, injury, or death arising from COVID-19. - Amends TCA Section 9-8-307; Title 14, Chapter 5; Title 29, Chapter 20 and Section 49-7-159. by *Farmer.

*House Bill No. 2672 -- Treasurer, State - As introduced, prohibits state treasurer from entering into a contract with a state depository if the state depository has a policy prohibiting financing to companies in the fossil fuel industry. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9 and Title 12. by *Terry.

*House Bill No. 2673 -- Education - As introduced, requires the governing body of each LEA to adopt a written policy prohibiting the teaching of anti-Semitic concepts in schools by teachers and administrative staff employed by the LEA; requires that the policy be distributed or made available to each teacher and staff member at the beginning of each school year. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Sexton J.

*House Bill No. 2674 -- Appropriations - As introduced, changes, from January 1, 2022, to February 1, 2022, the date after which laws that are enacted that result in a net increase or decrease in periods of imprisonment in state facilities are subject to a revised process for calculating the necessary appropriations for such laws. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 7 and Title 9, Chapter 4. by *Williams.

House Bill No. 2675 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, allows a member of the general assembly to use campaign account funds for lodging expenses if the member is not otherwise eligible for reimbursement or the reimbursement does not cover the total amount of the expense and for mileage reimbursement above the amount reimbursed by the state. - Amends TCA Title 2 and Title 3. by *Grills, *Lamberth.

House Bill No. 2676 -- Purchasing and Procurement - As introduced, extends, from 40 business days to 45 business days, the amount of time from receipt of request that the fiscal review committee has to comment on a proposed noncompetitive contract. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 9; Title 12 and Title 49. by *Zachary.

House Bill No. 2677 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates a Class E felony of an employer influencing or attempting to influence an employee who is a public servant in the performance of their official duties as a public servant by means of coercion; creates a cause of action for unlawful discharge of an employee who is a public servant. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39 and Title 50. by *Leatherwood.

House Bill No. 2678 -- Redistricting, Legislative - As introduced, updates references to 2020 TIGER system and geography. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 16 and Title 3, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Johnson C.

House Bill No. 2679 -- Gaming - As introduced, corrects references to the Tennessee Sports Gaming Act. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Section 39-17-501. by *Travis.

*House Bill No. 2680 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts - As introduced, increases the time in which the department of revenue has to make annual adjustments to the sales and use tax revenues collected by a development district from 90 days to 100 days from the end of a fiscal year. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 40. by *Helton.

House Bill No. 2681 -- Education - As introduced, requires the director of legislative budget analysis to report to the speaker of the senate, the speaker of the house of representatives, and the education committees of the senate and house of representatives if the commissioner of education fails to provide the director with the revised BEP funding formula for the ensuing fiscal year by January 1. by *Haston.

House Bill No. 2682 -- Census - As introduced, removes an obsolete reference in the provision regarding the use of census information to create the population figures contained in Tennessee Code Annotated; adds reference to 2020 census publication information. - Amends TCA Section 1-3-116. by *Marsh.

*House Bill No. 2683 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, makes emergency communications personnel eligible for early service retirement when the employing entity has elected to offer this benefit; requires the employing entity to be responsible for 100 percent of any increased cost necessary to provide this benefit to the emergency communications personnel. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 36. by *Carringer.

*House Bill No. 2684 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, increases from three years to four years the amount of time a scrap metal dealer must maintain a thumb or fingerprint impression taken from a person proposing to sell scrap metal. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 62. by *Gillespie.

House Bill No. 2685 -- Unemployment Compensation - As introduced, changes, from February 1 to February 14, the date by which the commissioner of labor and workforce development must provide a report each year to the general assembly on the condition of the unemployment compensation fund. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 50 and Title 56. by *Vaughan.

House Bill No. 2686 -- Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, prohibits the department from collecting or expending moneys that are received as survivor benefits, disability benefits, or otherwise from the social security administration on behalf of a child in the custody of the department; requires the department to receive and hold such moneys in a trust for the child to be released to the child without condition upon the child's eighteenth birthday; requires the trust to be maintained by the state treasurer. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 37. by *McKenzie.

*House Bill No. 2687 -- Education - As introduced, increases, from 180 to 190 days, the period of time during which a family of a prisoner of war or veteran missing in action may provide official documentation from the United States government to the department of education to prove that a child qualifies for access to pre-kindergarten in Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *McKenzie.

*House Bill No. 2688 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, makes it a Class D felony to engage in certain criminal acts for purposes of intimidating a person involved in an existing or anticipated legal proceeding. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *Whitson.

*House Bill No. 2689 -- Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, changes from March 1 to March 31 the date before which the department must appear before the judiciary committee of the senate and the civil justice committee of the house of representatives for a review of the policies of the department. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Johnson G.

*House Bill No. 2690 -- Children - As introduced, shortens the time frame for the department of children's services to submit a report to the court with the department's recommendations following an assessment of a child who has been adjudicated delinquent, unruly, or dependent and neglected from 15 days, which may be extended up to 30 days, to 10 days, which may be extended up to 20 days. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Johnson G.

- *House Bill No. 2691 -- Vital Records As introduced, allows amendments of birth certificates to reflect the individual's gender identity. Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 8; Title 37 and Title 68, Chapter 3. by *Johnson G.
- *House Bill No. 2692 -- Taxes, Excise As introduced, deletes the deadline of September 1, 1999, for the filing of a registration information form with the department of revenue by persons first becoming subject to franchise and excise taxes after July 1, 1999. Amends TCA Title 67. by *Vaughan.
- *House Bill No. 2693 -- General Assembly As introduced, extends the period before an election, from 30 days to 45 days, during which mass mailings from a member of the general assembly to the persons in the member's district must be paid for with non-state funds. Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4 and Title 8. by *Sexton J.
- *House Bill No. 2694 -- State Government As introduced, requires the office of diversity business enterprises to publish an annual report on its website listing each state department's aspirational goals and achievements for businesses owned by minorities, women, persons with disabilities, and service-disabled veterans, as well as other small businesses. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 12, Chapter 3 and Title 12, Chapter 4. by *Miller.
- *House Bill No. 2695 -- Criminal Procedure As introduced, creates a registry of persons convicted of certain crimes in which the victim of the offense is a domestic abuse victim; requires the Tennessee bureau of investigation to maintain the registry based upon information provided by the court clerk. Amends TCA Title 36; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Harris.
- *House Bill No. 2696 -- Firearms and Ammunition As introduced, prohibits law enforcement agencies from participating in firearms buyback programs that do not offer 75 percent or more of fair market value for firearm being surrendered; authorizes law enforcement agencies to accept donations to provide incentives for individuals to participate in firearm safety training. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Parkinson.
- *House Bill No. 2697 -- Professions and Occupations As introduced, increases from seven to eight years from the time a student originally enrolls in a barbering school, the time by which the student must complete the required courses and number of hours without having to complete additional courses or hours as the board may require. Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4. by *Parkinson.
- **House Bill No. 2698** -- Paternity As introduced, clarifies that a party to a civil or criminal proceeding in which the paternity of a child is at issue may voluntarily seek a genetic test from an accredited laboratory before a court issues an order requiring the genetic test. Amends TCA Title 24, Chapter 7; Title 36 and Title 68. by *Parkinson.
- **House Bill No. 2699** -- Paternity As introduced, removes the five-year statute of limitations for challenging a voluntary acknowledgment of paternity on the basis of fraud, duress, or mistake of fact. Amends TCA Title 24, Chapter 7; Title 36 and Title 68. by *Parkinson.

*House Bill No. 2700 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, removes provision of law that required the Tennessee advisory commission on intergovernmental relations to report by December 2020 on a study of cost savings realized by enrollees with health plans in states that have adopted legislation or programs that require carriers offering health plans in those states to offer incentive programs to enrollees for shopping for healthcare services at lower costs. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Cooper.

*House Bill No. 2701 -- Bail, Bail Bonds - As introduced, requires the clerk of each court of record with criminal jurisdiction to provide the administrative office of the courts with a list of professional bondsmen or other sureties approved and qualified as solvent to write bonds by the courts within the county; specifies that a bail hearing addressing conditions of release must be conducted within 48 hours of arrest; makes various other changes regarding bail hearings and continuing education requirements relative to bail and bounty hunters. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 1, Part 3; Title 16, Chapter 15; Title 40, Chapter 11 and Title 40, Chapter 1. by *Byrd, *Doggett, *Farmer, *Hulsey, *Littleton, *Moody, *Howell, *Lamar.

*House Bill No. 2702 -- Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, expands the information required to be provided in writing to foster parents by the department to include all information available to the department regarding the child's education status, mental health history and status, behavioral history, and physical disabilities. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Casada, *Littleton.

*House Bill No. 2703 -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to design and adopt a certificate of licensure for issuance to educators who have met the requirements for licensure established by the state board of education; requires that the certificate of licensure present an educator's licensure information in a format suitable for framing. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 5. by *White.

*House Bill No. 2704 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, clarifies that it is the responsibility of the member seeking to claim prior state service for retirement credit purposes to submit to the board of trustees of the Tennessee consolidated retirement system proper documentation as required by the board. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36 and Title 8, Chapter 37. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2705 -- Tobacco, Tobacco Products - As introduced, authorizes local governments to regulate, including the prohibition of, smoking and the use of vapor products in age-restricted venues; defines the terms "age-restricted venue" and "retail tobacco store" for the purposes of the Prevention of Youth Access to Tobacco, Smoking Hemp, and Vapor Products Act. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 39. by *Carringer.

*House Bill No. 2706 -- Treasurer, State - As introduced, expands the authority of the state treasurer to settle claims filed with the division of claims and risk management within the department of the treasury; requires the state treasurer, in conjunction with the commissioner of transportation, to develop, implement, and administer a centralized information system for the reporting of alleged dangerous conditions on state-maintained highways and the repair of such conditions. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 8, Part 1 and Title 9, Chapter 8, Part 4. by *Howell.

*House Bill No. 2707 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the penalty for aggravated assault committed against a law enforcement officer from a Class C felony to a Class B felony. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *Darby, *Lamberth.

- *House Bill No. 2708 -- Education As introduced, establishes that if a student takes the assessment for postsecondary readiness and career readiness, then the highest score of the assessments will be used in determining the school grade and principal's evaluation; specifies that a student is not required to take chemistry or physics if the student is enrolled in a dual enrollment course through a Tennessee college of applied technology and completes a biology course and one lab science. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Haston.
- *House Bill No. 2709 -- Education As introduced, specifies who is eligible to attend a voluntary pre-kindergarten program; deletes the pilot pre-kindergarten program. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Haston.
- **House Bill No. 2710** -- Education, Higher As introduced, authorizes the governing board for each public institution of higher education to classify a veteran or military-affiliated individual as a Tennessee resident for tuition purposes. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 13. by *Ragan.
- *House Bill No. 2711 -- Children's Services, Dept. of As introduced, changes the date by which the commissioner must submit a report to the governor and the general assembly on probation and juvenile justice evidence-based treatment services from January 31 to March 1. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 49; Title 50; Title 55; Title 67; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Howell.
- *House Bill No. 2712 -- Children's Services, Dept. of As introduced, changes the date by which the commissioner must publish the annual report on the operation of the department from January 31 to March 30. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 49; Title 50; Title 55; Title 67; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Howell.
- *House Bill No. 2713 -- Employees, Employers As introduced, holds a private employer that requires an employee to receive a vaccination against COVID-19 as a condition to continued employment liable for damages resulting to the employee from an adverse reaction to the vaccination. Amends TCA Title 14; Title 29; Title 49; Title 50; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Leatherwood.
- *House Bill No. 2714 -- Consumer Protection As introduced, increases, from 10 to 15 business days, the time the consumer reporting agency has after placing a requested security freeze on a consumer report to send written confirmation of the security freeze to the consumer. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12; Title 43; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 50; Title 61; Title 66 and Title 67. by *Thompson.
- *House Bill No. 2715 -- Opioids As introduced, extends, from three years to five years, the period of time a nonresidential office-based opiate treatment facility must maintain billing records and bank deposits of cash payments for services. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9; Title 20; Title 33; Title 47; Title 53; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Thompson.
- *House Bill No. 2716 -- Public Records As introduced, expands to all people, rather than just minors, the confidentiality protection pertaining to photographic evidence of a fatal motor vehicle accident. Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 55. by *Terry.

*House Bill No. 2717 -- Election Laws - As introduced, changes the deadline to file a notice as a write-in candidate from 50 days before an election to 40 days before an election. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 8, Chapter 3 and Title 8, Chapter 4. by *Warner.

*House Bill No. 2718 -- Annexation - As introduced, increases the number of signatures required on a petition to request that a larger municipality annex a smaller municipality, from 20 percent of the qualified voters of the smaller municipality who voted in the last general election to 30 percent of the qualified voters of the smaller municipality who voted in the last general election. - Amends TCA Title 6; Title 12; Title 66; Title 67, Chapter 5 and Title 132. by *Warner.

*House Bill No. 2719 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts - As introduced, increases the frequency that an initiating petition or resolution can be accepted for purposes of establishing a central business improvement district, from every 12 months to every six months. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 84. by *Love.

*House Bill No. 2720 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance - As introduced, designates March 12 as "Historically Black Colleges and Universities Day." - Amends TCA Title 15, Chapter 2. by *Love.

*House Bill No. 2721 -- Public Contracts - As introduced, clarifies that a city, county, or metropolitan government may sanction or debar a bidder or proposer of a bid, proposal, or agreement relating to an improvement of real property for fraud, collusion, other acts that threaten the integrity of the procurement process, or for a breach of contract. - Amends TCA Section 50-3-109. by *Love.

*House Bill No. 2722 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, deletes from the offense of a first degree murder the killing of another in the perpetration of or attempt to perpetrate any first degree murder, arson, rape, robbery, burglary, theft, kidnapping, aggravated abuse of an elderly or vulnerable adult, aggravated neglect of an elderly or vulnerable adult, aggravated child abuse, aggravated child neglect, rape of a child, aggravated rape of a child, or aircraft piracy; makes other changes regarding criminal responsibility. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 11 and Title 39, Chapter 13. by *Love.

*House Bill No. 2723 -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, grants state employees up to five days of leave to care for a minor child that is required to stay home as the result of a COVID-19 infection or school closure; prohibits counting such leave from against the employee's accumulated sick or annual leave. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 14 and Title 50. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2724 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, repeals the law that allows authorized persons to transport or store a firearm or firearm ammunition in the person's motor vehicle while on or utilizing a public or private parking area if the firearm or firearm ammunition is kept from ordinary observation. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 49 and Title 50. by *Miller.

*House Bill No. 2725 -- Historical Sites and Preservation - As introduced, authorizes the chief executive of a city or county, with the approval of the local legislative body, to fill a vacancy on a historic zoning commission until the expiration of the vacated member's term and to remove a member from the commission. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 7, Part 4. by *Moon.

- *House Bill No. 2726 -- Correction, Dept. of As introduced, clarifies that the Tennessee corrections institute provides basic training to state correctional officers. Amends TCA Title 41. by *Sparks.
- *House Bill No. 2727 -- Election Laws As introduced, increases from nine years to 10 years the amount of time for which the secretary of state must store the list of names of voters who participated in an election in a computerized county. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Ogles.
- *House Bill No. 2728 -- Courts As introduced, removes antiquated language regarding the advisory task force on the composition of judicial districts. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 16; Title 17; Title 18; Title 20; Title 21; Title 22; Title 24; Title 25; Title 26; Title 27; Title 28; Title 29; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Ogles.
- *House Bill No. 2729 -- Emergency Communications Districts As introduced, requires the emergency communications board to annually publish on its website its report to the governor and speakers of the general assembly on its activities for the preceding year; requires the board to include in its report any suggestions received from any source on amending the Emergency Communications District Law. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 38; Title 39; Title 49; Title 65 and Title 68. by *Ogles.
- *House Bill No. 2730 -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires institutions of higher education to provide the annual report of crime statistics for crimes occurring on campus and in student housing to members of the public upon request. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 33; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 43; Title 49; Title 62 and Title 68. by *Ogles.
- *House Bill No. 2731 -- Education As introduced, establishes July 1 of each year as the deadline for the dyslexia advisory council to submit its annual report to the education committee of the senate and the education instruction committee of the house of representatives. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Ogles.
- *House Bill No. 2732 -- Salaries and Benefits As introduced, increases the amount of the pay supplement to which police officers and employed firefighters and emergency medical technicians are entitled for completing an in-service training course from \$800 to \$5,000. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 24, Part 2 and Section 38-8-111. by *Windle.
- *House Bill No. 2733 -- Veterans As introduced, requires an employer to allow a veteran employee to have the entirety of Veterans' Day as a non-paid holiday if the veteran employee provides one month's notice, the veteran employee provides proof of veteran status, and the employee's absence will not impact public health or safety or cause the employer significant economic or operational disruption. Amends TCA Title 8; Title 15; Title 50 and Title 58. by *Windle.
- *House Bill No. 2734 -- Employees, Employers As introduced, requires an employer to permit an employee who is a local elected official to leave work in order to perform the duties of the elected office; requires the employer to permit the employee to use the employee's available paid time off for that purpose if the employee elects to do so; permits an employer to require the employee to submit a written statement from a local elections official to verify that the employee is a local elected official. Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 50. by *Windle.

*House Bill No. 2735 -- Health Care - As introduced, requires the department of health to study the utilization of provider-based telemedicine among persons over 65 years of age, with particular emphasis on usage among those persons who are unable to travel independently or who use telemedicine solely for the purpose of renewing prescriptions for life-sustaining medications; requires other departments to assist the department of health upon request; requires the department to report its findings to the health-related committees of the general assembly and the legislative librarian by December 15, 2022. - Amends TCA Title 56 and Title 63. by *Windle.

*House Bill No. 2736 -- Public Contracts - As introduced, requires that public contracts to construct or substantially renovate a building include energy use objectives; establishes other requirements and guidelines for energy use objectives in certain public contracts. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 12; Title 13 and Title 68. by *Windle.

*House Bill No. 2737 -- Mobile Homes and Manufactured Buildings - As introduced, directs the Tennessee advisory commission on intergovernmental relations to perform a study of laws in this state and other states related to the purchase of a modular building or the construction of a modular building, and to prepare a report comparing those laws and designating those laws providing the most consumer protection. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 13; Title 13; Title 62, Chapter 6 and Title 68. by *Windle.

*House Bill No. 2738 -- Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) - As introduced, specifies that the agency's notification to the governor regarding compliance with provisions designating emergency services coordinators must be made at least annually. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 9; Title 14 and Title 58. by *Lafferty.

*House Bill No. 2739 -- Scholarships and Financial Aid - As introduced, changes the date by which THEC must report its findings concerning scholarship and grant programs to the general assembly from October 1 to October 30. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 49. by *Lafferty.

*House Bill No. 2740 -- Zoning - As introduced, categorizes the construction and operation of dairy creameries, milk bottling plants, and certain slaughterhouses as agriculture operations that are not subject to local zoning requirements when located on agricultural land. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 43; Title 44 and Title 53. by *Holsclaw.

*House Bill No. 2741 -- Public Employees - As introduced, changes, from December 15 to December 7, the date by which the commission on compensation is required to report to the governor and the general assembly, each year in which the commission is convened, the commission's recommendation concerning the compensation of the governor, commissioners, constitutional officers, legislators, and other officials. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 49 and Title 56. by *Hazlewood.

*House Bill No. 2742 -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, requires that high school students be taught about the virtues of capitalism and the constitutional republic form of government in the United States and Tennessee, as compared to other political and economic systems such as communism and socialism, as part of the social studies curriculum. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Powers.

*House Bill No. 2743 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, clarifies that the state treasurer has the power to administer the implementation of the investment policy established by the board of trustees for the investment of retirement system funds, upon the board of trustees delegating the implementation to the state treasurer. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 37. by *Hicks G.

*House Bill No. 2744 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Pharmacy Act." - Amends TCA Title 14; Title 53; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Towns.

*House Bill No. 2745 -- Health Care - As introduced, prohibits discrimination on the basis of a patient's COVID-19 vaccine status as it relates to organ transplants. - Amends TCA Title 14; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Towns.

House Bill No. 2746 -- Drugs, Over the Counter - As introduced, authorizes ivermectin suitable for human use to be sold or purchased as an over-the-counter medication in this state without a prescription or consultation with a pharmacist or certain other healthcare professional. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 14; Title 47; Title 53; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Towns.

*House Bill No. 2747 -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, requires an entity that offers the option to purchase a lifetime membership to send a minimum of three written late notices to the member for failure to pay a renewal fee before the lifetime membership may be canceled; specifies that failure of an entity to send such notices to the member before canceling the lifetime membership is an unfair or deceptive trade practice. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Towns.

House Bill No. 2748 -- Prisons and Reformatory Institutions - As introduced, requires youth development centers, jails, and correctional facilities to provide telephone services to inmates and detainees using not less than two vendors. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 41. by *Towns.

House Bill No. 2749 -- Real Property - As introduced, increases, from 30 to 35 days, the period of time after which a successor or remaining trustee must execute and record an instrument for real estate held as part of a trust if the resigning or removed trustee fails to do so during that period. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 13; Title 35; Title 45; Title 47 and Title 66. by *Towns.

House Bill No. 2750 -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, requires youth development centers and jails to reduce the cost of telephone services to inmates in effect on July 1, 2022, by 50 percent by July 1, 2025; requires correctional facilities to reduce the cost of telephone services to inmates in effect on July 1, 2022, by 50 percent by July 1, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 41. by *Towns.

*House Bill No. 2751 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the penalty for aggravated assault when committed by discharging a firearm from within a motor vehicle; specifies that a person commits an offense of reckless driving who operates a vehicle within certain congested areas at a speed that is at least 20 mph above the speed limit, and while weaving between lanes while other vehicles share the lanes. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 40 and Title 55. by *Towns.

- **House Bill No. 2752** -- Common Carriers As introduced, requires a driver for a transportation network company to maintain an illuminated sign, or a sticker in a standard position, on the driver's vehicle that clearly indicates that the vehicle is being used for prearranged rides for the company; creates a civil penalty for violation of the signage or sticker requirement. Amends TCA Section 55-9-402 and Title 65, Chapter 15. by *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2753 -- Education As introduced, specifies that the office of early learning's report regarding the status of pre-kindergarten programs must be submitted by July 1 of each year to the governor and general assembly. Amends TCA Title 14; Title 49 and Title 68. by *Haston.
- *House Bill No. 2754 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration As introduced, requires the commissioner of revenue to issue temporary plates of a new distinctive design beginning January 1, 2023; creates the offense of counterfeiting temporary plates. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2755 -- Consumer Protection As introduced, increases, from three to five days, the number of days a consumer reporting agency has to place a security freeze on a consumer report after receiving the written or electronic request from the Tennessee consumer. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12; Title 43; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 50; Title 61; Title 66 and Title 67. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2756 -- Courts, Juvenile As introduced, requires a juvenile court to enter a scheduling order at an initial appearance after the filing of a petition or citation; requires that a matter filed in juvenile court be heard within six months unless waived by the responding party. Amends TCA Title 36 and Title 37. by *Powell.
- **House Bill No. 2757** -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, authorizes the Tennessee wine and grape board to electronically submit its annual report on the wine and viticulture industry, and the current and future activities of the board. Amends TCA Title 57. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2758 -- Child Custody and Support As introduced, removes driver licenses from the list of licenses that can be revoked for failure to pay child support; removes the requirement that a felon seeking to restore voting rights be current in child support payments. Amends TCA Title 36; Title 40 and Title 55. by *Love.
- *House Bill No. 2759 -- Litter Control As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Cleaner Landscapes for the Economy, Agriculture, and Nature (CLEAN) Act" to create a commission that will develop and implement policies to reduce litter in Tennessee. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 39; Title 57; Title 62; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 70. by *Faison.
- *House Bill No. 2760 -- Education As introduced, enacts the "School Safety and Removal Act;" authorizes alternative schools and alternative programs to provide remote instruction to students attending the school or program. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Rudd.
- *House Bill No. 2761 -- General Assembly, Directed Studies As introduced, directs TACIR to perform a study of the overall effect of utility scale solar energy development in this state. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5; Title 6; Title 13; Title 65; Title 66; Title 67 and Title 68. by *Gant.

- **House Bill No. 2762** -- District Attorneys As introduced, revises the pay schedule for assistant district attorneys. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 14 and Title 8, Chapter 7. by *Doggett, *Hicks G.
- *House Bill No. 2763 -- Public Records As introduced, extends from five years to six years, the minimum time period in which authorized recipients of personal information about persons obtained by the department of safety in connection with a motor vehicle record must retain such records. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 25. by *Hurt.
- *House Bill No. 2764 -- Political Parties As introduced, prohibits a person from being nominated as a candidate for United States senator or member of the United States house of representatives unless the person has voted in the three previous elections in this state. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Wright.
- **House Bill No. 2765** -- Probation and Parole As introduced, specifies that the board of parole may consider the prisoner's good conduct or efficient performance of duties assigned to the prisoner in prison when determining whether parole should be granted. Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 28. by *Dixie.
- *House Bill No. 2766 -- Education As introduced, directs the department of education to review its strategic plans for the development of early childhood education programs in low income areas of this state to determine if there are areas of improvement to be made that need legislative action; requires the department to report its findings and recommendations to the general assembly no later than January 1, 2023. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Dixie.
- *House Bill No. 2767 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration As introduced, removes the provision excluding the weight of a notice of a vehicle emissions testing requirement from the calculation of the total postal weight of an insert included in the mailing of registration renewal notices. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 12 and Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Baum.
- *House Bill No. 2768 -- Tennessee Fish & Wildlife Commission As introduced, extends the notice period to which a commissioner is entitled prior to a hearing to defend charges that may result in the commissioner's removal from not less than 10 business days before the hearing to not less than 14 business days before the hearing. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 11, Chapter 4 and Title 70. by *Sherrell.
- *House Bill No. 2769 -- Public Lands As introduced, requires that proceeds from the sale of timber harvested or caused to be harvested by the wildlife resources agency from wildlife management areas be deposited in the general fund; limits the amount of timber to be harvested by the agency from wildlife management areas. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 11, Chapter 4; Title 67; Title 69, Chapter 9 and Title 70. by *Sherrell.
- *House Bill No. 2770 -- Firearms and Ammunition As introduced, requires any person or entity posting signage prohibiting the possession of firearms on a property to accept custodial responsibility for the safety and defense of any person authorized to carry a handgun, while the person is on the property; mandates that any notice or signage posted forbidding firearm possession also contain language stating that a person authorized to carry a handgun is under the custodial responsibility of the posting person or entity. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Todd.

- *House Bill No. 2771 -- Law Enforcement As introduced, requires law enforcement officers to use only appropriately marked law enforcement vehicles to make traffic stops. Amends TCA Title 55. by *Todd.
- *House Bill No. 2772 -- Traffic Safety As introduced, requires only a warning be issued for first violations of speeding within speed traps where the speed at the time of the violation is less than seven miles per hour over the speed limit. Amends TCA Title 55. by *Todd.
- *House Bill No. 2773 -- Appeal and Review As introduced, increases from one to two the number of copies of a petition for post-conviction relief that the clerk of the trial court must mail to the attorney general and reporter. Amends TCA Title 29; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Todd.
- **House Bill No. 2774** -- Education As introduced, enacts the "More Opportunities for Students in Tennessee (MOST) Act"; establishes a grant program to assist parents of eligible students with education expenses. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Todd, *Chism.
- *House Bill No. 2775 -- Tennessee Fish & Wildlife Commission As introduced, requires the commission to publish a map of its "no elk zone" on the Tennessee wildlife resource agency's website. Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 14 and Title 70. by *Todd.
- **House Bill No. 2776** -- Taxes, Privilege As introduced, eliminates the professional privilege tax for tax years that begin on and after June 1, 2023. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17. by *Todd.
- *House Bill No. 2777 -- Criminal Procedure As introduced, grants a defendant who has been charged with a criminal offense based on the use of force or threatened use of force and who asserts that the force was justified by law the right to at least two justifiable use of force hearings prior to trial, at which the prosecution has the burden to prove by clear and convincing evidence that the use of force was unlawful; requires the court to dismiss the criminal charges and find the defendant immune from criminal prosecution if the prosecution fails to meet that burden. Amends TCA Title 39. by *Todd.
- **House Bill No. 2778** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities As introduced, requires hospitals to permit at least one family member or patient representative who meets certain conditions to visit a patient of the hospital during end-of-life situations if a disaster, emergency, or public health emergency for COVID-19 has been declared. Amends TCA Title 14 and Title 68, Chapter 11. by *Alexander.
- *House Bill No. 2779 -- Abortion As introduced, reduces from seven days to 72 hours the period within which a physician must notify the board of medical examiners after learning that the physician has been criminally charged with violating the statutory requirements that a physician must satisfy prior to obtaining informed consent to an abortion from a pregnant woman. Amends TCA Title 20; Title 29; Title 37; Title 39; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Alexander.
- *House Bill No. 2780 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation As introduced, permits an authorized person, in addition to an agency or organization, to directly access the computer files of the Tennessee crime information center using only names or other identifying data elements to obtain available Tennessee criminal history background information for purpose of background reviews. Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 6. by *Eldridge.

- *House Bill No. 2781 -- Education, State Board of As introduced, requires the board to post on its website a list of the states with which the board has entered into a reciprocal agreement. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Byrd.
- *House Bill No. 2782 -- Real Property As introduced, extends the publication requirement for a petition to correct an error in a deed of conveyance from 30 days before the petition is to be heard to 45 days. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 29; Title 54; Title 64; Title 65 and Title 66. by *Holsclaw.
- *House Bill No. 2783 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits As introduced, authorizes, from July 1, 2022, to July 1, 2027, retirees who have been retired for at least 60 days from TCRS or from a superseded system administered by the state, or from a local retirement fund, to accept re-employment as a kindergarten through twelfth grade teacher, substitute teacher, or school bus driver without loss or suspension of retirement benefits if certain conditions are met. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 36, Part 8. by *Alexander.
- *House Bill No. 2784 -- Education As introduced, authorizes the dyslexia advisory council to submit the council's annual report to the education committee of the senate and the education instruction committee of the house of representatives electronically. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9 and Title 49. by *Griffey.
- *House Bill No. 2785 -- Lobbying, Lobbyists As introduced, prohibits paid lobbyists from serving as members of state and local boards, commissions, and other governmental entities. Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 6; Title 4 and Title 8. by *Griffey.
- *House Bill No. 2786 -- Human Services, Dept. of As introduced, extends the deadline to hold a hearing on a dispute between the management of public property and the department concerning the provision of vending facilities by blind individuals from within 30 days of the appointment of an administrative law judge to within 45 days of the appointment of an administrative law judge. Amends TCA Title 41 and Title 71, Chapter 4. by *Gillespie, *Farmer.
- *House Bill No. 2787 -- Firefighters As introduced, makes the state's employee assistance program, including components for mental health and wellness, available to all active members of a recognized fire department; requires a career fire department to pay for the costs of access to the program for its firefighters; requires the state to pay for the costs of volunteer firefighters. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 68. by *Shaw.
- **House Bill No. 2788** -- Basic Education Program (BEP) As introduced, increases the number of BEP funded full-time public school nurse positions from one per 3,000 students to one per 750 students; increases the number of full-time public school nurses considered sufficient for the public school nurse program to adequately provide services from one per 3,000 students to one per 750 students. Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68. by *Shaw, *Powell.
- **House Bill No. 2789** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, defines "distribute," for purposes of the offense of unlawful exposure, as transmitting, selling, publishing, posting, displaying, or disseminating an image, by use of a telecommunication device or otherwise. Amends TCA Title 39. by *Shaw, *Powell.
- **House Bill No. 2790** -- Expunction As introduced, makes a person who has not been arrested for seven years eligible to petition a court to have the person's records related to a prior criminal matter removed and destroyed. Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32. by *Shaw.

- **House Bill No. 2791** -- Real Property As introduced, enacts the "Uniform Partition of Heirs Property Act." Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 27 and Title 66. by *Shaw.
- *House Bill No. 2792 -- AIDS, HIV and STDs As introduced, enacts the "HIV Modernization Act." Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 40 and Title 68, Chapter 10. by *Johnson G.
- *House Bill No. 2793 -- Salaries and Benefits As introduced, increases, from \$7.25 to \$15, the minimum hourly wage for employees within this state. Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 4 and Title 50, Chapter 2. by *Johnson G.
- *House Bill No. 2794 -- Firearms and Ammunition As introduced, creates the Class A misdemeanor of knowingly or recklessly permitting a child under 12 years of age to have access to or possession, custody, or use of a firearm unless the person has the permission of the child's parent or guardian, the child is under the supervision of an adult, and the firearm was used for lawful sporting activity; increases the punishment for illegally providing a handgun to a juvenile from a Class A misdemeanor to a Class E felony. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Johnson G.
- *House Bill No. 2795 -- Criminal Procedure As introduced, changes the date by which the fiscal review committee must submit its report regarding the minimum and maximum authorized fine ranges for criminal offenses to the general assembly from January 15 to January 30. Amends TCA Title 40. by *Stewart.
- *House Bill No. 2796 -- State Government As introduced, authorizes members of the general assembly to nominate to the governor two persons each year, instead of only one, for the Tennessee Tri-Star General Award; requires a county attorney to consult with and advise elected officials, their deputies, and their employees as to the proper application and enforcement of federal and state laws that are pertinent to carrying out the duties of such county officials' respective offices; shortens time period a county has to post revisions to its charter of incorporation on the website from three months to two months. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5 and Title 6. by *Stewart.
- *House Bill No. 2797 -- Election Laws As introduced, requires a brief summary of any question, regardless of length, submitted to the people for a vote. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Stewart.
- *House Bill No. 2798 -- Civil Emergencies As introduced, requires that verbal requests seeking mutual aid or assistance with an emergency that are submitted by a governmental entity to another governmental entity be confirmed in writing to the responding governmental entity within 20 days, rather than 30 days, after the initial verbal request. Amends TCA Title 58. by *Stewart.
- *House Bill No. 2799 -- Juvenile Offenders As introduced, increases the age at which a juvenile can be transferred to criminal court and tried for a criminal offense as an adult to 17 years of age for any offense. Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1. by *Miller.
- **House Bill No. 2800** -- State Universities As introduced, requires a state university's board of trustees to notify each of the state university's adjunct professors if the board takes an action that directly affects the adjunct professors employed by the state university; allows the notice to be transmitted by electronic mail. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Lamberth, *Gant.

*House Bill No. 2801 -- Disabled Persons - As introduced, makes various changes to the system established by the commissioner of human services for providing rehabilitation centers for persons with disabilities; changes the name of the advisory board for rehabilitation centers to the advisory board for community-based vocational rehabilitation services; extends the new board to June 30, 2027. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 11, Part 7. by *Lamberth, *Gant.

*House Bill No. 2802 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, specifies that a course of conduct for purposes of stalking includes one instance of placing an electronic tracking device on a person or in or on a person's property, unless the electronic tracking device is placed by or at the direction of a law enforcement officer. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Grills, *Sexton C, *Lamberth, *Sherrell, *Ogles, *Todd.

*House Bill No. 2803 -- Flags - As introduced, requires that official flags of the United States and of the state of Tennessee, purchased under a local contract, in addition to state contracts, be manufactured in the United States. - Amends TCA Title 4. by *Warner.

*House Bill No. 2804 -- Annexation - As introduced, increases the number of signatures required on a petition to request that a larger municipality annex a smaller municipality, from 20 percent of the qualified voters of the smaller municipality who voted in the last general election to 30 percent of the qualified voters of the smaller municipality who voted in the last general election. - Amends TCA Title 6; Title 12; Title 13; Title 66 and Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Warner.

*House Bill No. 2805 -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, establishes a pilot program that would authorize a juvenile court to retain jurisdiction over a delinquent child until their twenty-fifth birthday if best suited for the child's treatment, rehabilitation, and welfare. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2806 -- Witnesses - As introduced, creates the Tennessee witness protection and relocation grant pilot program within the department of finance and administration's office of criminal justice programs. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5; Title 36; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 41. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2807 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, creates the offense of storing a firearm or firearm ammunition in a motor vehicle or boat while the person is not in the motor vehicle or boat unless the firearm or firearm ammunition is kept from ordinary observation and locked within the trunk, utility or glove box, or a locked container securely affixed to the motor vehicle or boat. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2808 -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, requires the administrative office of the courts, the department of children's services, and the commission on children and youth to jointly submit an annual report addressing statewide data collection in the juvenile justice system, on or before January 1, to the governor, speaker of the senate, speaker of the house of representatives, and members of the judiciary committee of the senate and the criminal justice committee and civil justice committee of the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2809 -- Capital Punishment - As introduced, states that a defendant is not eligible for the death penalty if the defendant suffered from a serious mental illness at the time of the alleged offense that, while not meeting the standard to be found not guilty by reason of insanity or incompetent to stand trial, significantly impaired the defendant's capacity to exercise rational judgment; permits an offender who was sentenced to death prior to July 1, 2022, to petition to be resentenced to life imprisonment without possibility of parole due to serious mental illness. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2810 -- Real Property - As introduced, increases, from 20 to 25 days, the time when a creditor that has redeemed land from the original purchaser for debt, or from one who has previously redeemed the land for debt, may advance upon the bid for the land any sum, to the extent of that creditor's debt, as if the creditor was the original purchaser. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 13; Title 35; Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 45; Title 47; Title 66 and Section 67-4-409. by *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2811 -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, requires the department of commerce and insurance to maintain on the department's website a database of each person who is registered to act as a security guard/officer and the name of any entity employing the person as a security guard/officer; makes various changes to the registration requirements for security guards/officers. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39 and Title 62, Chapter 35. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2812 -- Industrial Development - As introduced, authorizes the establishment of industrial development corporations solely to assist and benefit minority-owned businesses, locally owned businesses, small businesses, and women-owned businesses. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2813 -- Election Laws - As introduced, authorizes the use of an identification card issued by an accredited institution of higher education in this state for purposes of voter identification at a polling place; requires the secretary of state to conduct studies on such use and file reports regarding such use. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2814 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission - As introduced, requires the commission to notify minority teaching fellowship award recipients of teaching opportunities and programs that offer assistance for minority teachers. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Hardaway, *White, *Love, *Cooper.

*House Bill No. 2815 -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, requires that the sheriff's department's or municipal police department's annual audited report of proceeds from certain seized and forfeited goods and certain fines be submitted to the appropriate legislative body by February 1 of each year. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2816 -- Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation - As introduced, requires TSAC to administer a law enforcement fellows program whereby recipients receive an award to attend a postsecondary degree program in this state that furthers a student's knowledge in law enforcement if certain criteria are met. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4. by *Hardaway, *White, *Love, *Cooper, *Camper, *Chism, *Dixie.

House Bill No. 2817 -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, changes from March 31 to March 1, the date by which each municipal solid waste region must submit the annual progress report to the commissioner of environment and conservation for the immediately preceding calendar year that includes data on collection; recycling; transportation; disposal; public costs; and other information relevant to solid waste planning and management. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 47; Title 53; Title 67 and Title 68. by *Hardaway.

*House Bill No. 2818 -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, requires LEAs to include a course of instruction for students in kindergarten through grade 12 with curricula designed to educate students in conflict resolution that is age and grade appropriate. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Cooper.

*House Bill No. 2819 -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, requires the department of labor and workforce development to establish a living wage for the state. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12, Chapter 4 and Title 50. by *Thompson.

*House Bill No. 2820 -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, requires the department of safety to provide the annual report on civil asset forfeiture to the members of the judiciary committee of the senate and the civil justice and criminal justice committees of the house of representatives, rather than the chairs of the committees. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Thompson.

*House Bill No. 2821 -- TennCare - As introduced, authorizes the governor to expand medicaid pursuant to the Affordable Care Act; authorizes the governor to negotiate with the federal centers for medicare and medicaid services to determine the terms of the expansion. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5. by *Stewart.

*House Bill No. 2822 -- Scholarships and Financial Aid - As introduced, renames the "Dependent Children Scholarship Act" the "Surviving Spouses and Dependent Children Scholarship Act"; extends scholarship eligibility to dependent children of members of the armed services totaly disabled or killed in the line of duty and surviving spouses of law enforcement officers, firefighters, emergency medical service technicians, or members of the armed services killed in the line of duty. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4. by *Stewart.

*House Bill No. 2823 -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, moves, from February 1 to March 15, the date by which the commissioner must report to the governor and to each house of the general assembly regarding the department's nursing home inspection and enforcement activities during the previous year. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Stewart.

*House Bill No. 2824 -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, changes the date by which the consumer affairs division of the attorney general must submit its annual operations report from February 1 to March 30. - Amends TCA Title 47. by *Stewart.

*House Bill No. 2825 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, changes the date by which the TBI must submit a report to the general assembly concerning the amount of revenue received from conducting criminal history record checks for licensed gun dealers from February 1 to March 30. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *Stewart.

*House Bill No. 2826 -- Revenue, Dept. of - As introduced, extends, from 10 days to 15 days of the action in question, the time within which a person may submit a written request to the commissioner and be afforded an opportunity for a formal hearing pertaining to the final resolution of any issue or question involved in connection with either an application for and entitlement to the issuance of, or the proposed revocation of, any certificate, license, permit, privilege, or right, or relating to the confiscation of any property, or any other adverse action proposed or taken to implement any revenue regulatory or registration law administered by the commissioner, not including those laws relating to assessments or levies of taxes, fees, fines, penalties, interest, or the waiver of penalties. - Amends TCA Title 67. by *Stewart.

*House Bill No. 2827 -- Election Laws - As introduced, subjects the implementation of a policy of a county election commission to permit the use of voting machines by groups of citizens to the approval of the local governing body. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Parkinson.

*House Bill No. 2828 -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, changes, from October 1 to October 15, the date by which the department of education is required to submit a report to the education committees of the senate and the house of representatives containing certain student and advanced course data for purposes of student academic acceleration. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Parkinson.

*House Bill No. 2829 -- Local Government, General - As introduced, authorizes a local government or local education agency to create a program to incentivize medical professionals, police officers, firefighters, and teachers to live and work within the boundaries of the local government by providing grants to such professionals in an amount that is equal to the amount of property tax due on such person's principal residence. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 51 and Title 49. by *Parkinson.

*House Bill No. 2830 -- Victims' Rights - As introduced, allows a person to file a petition for an injunction to prohibit the delivery of the remains of a victim of certain homicide offenses to the next of kin, if the next of kin is found to have committed the offense by a preponderance of the evidence; requires a court issuing such an injunction to include in its order the next person to whom the remains must be delivered. - Amends TCA Title 31; Title 38; Title 46 and Title 62. by *Casada.

*House Bill No. 2831 -- Real Property - As introduced, requires a landlord subject to the Uniform Residential Landlord and Tenant Act to use an updated electronic mail address provided to the landlord in writing for notifications required to be sent to the tenant. - Amends TCA Title 66. by *Thompson.

House Bill No. 2832 -- Food and Food Products - As introduced, authorizes hunters to donate meat from wild hogs and other non-indigenous animals to nonprofit organizations that operate food pantries and soup kitchens, under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 70. by *Lafferty.

House Bill No. 2833 -- Schools, Charter - As introduced, reduces the amount of time within which certain decisions must be made concerning applications for public charter schools; creates process for authorization of replications of a public charter school; establishes a fund to assist public charter schools in obtaining favorable financing; makes various other changes and additions to law concerning charter schools. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13 and Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 2. by *White, *Sexton C, *Gant, *Garrett, *Sparks, *Carringer, *Smith, *Lafferty, *Helton, *Moody, *Todd.

- **House Bill No. 2834** -- Law Enforcement As introduced, prohibits a state or local law enforcement agency or law enforcement officer from obtaining, retaining, accessing, or using any face recognition system or any information obtained from a face recognition system; creates a private right of action that may be brought by a person who has been unlawfully subjected to face recognition technology or about whom information has been unlawfully obtained, retained, accessed, or used. Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Grills.
- *House Bill No. 2835 -- Health Care As introduced, enacts the "Youth Health Protection Act." Amends TCA Title 8; Title 9; Title 14; Title 33; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Ragan.
- *House Bill No. 2836 -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, enacts "Roger's Law," which enhances the penalties for failing to exercise due care while driving when it results in serious bodily injury or death to another person. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 55. by *Moody.
- **House Bill No. 2837** -- Remedies and Special Proceedings As introduced, establishes a cause of action for a victim of human trafficking to recover damages from the person or entity that commits a human trafficking offense or knowingly benefits from participating in a venture that traffics another person. Amends TCA Title 29 and Title 39. by *Moody.
- *House Bill No. 2838 -- Redistricting, Legislative As introduced, updates references to 2020 TIGER system and geography. Amends TCA Section 3-1-103. by *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2839 -- Redistricting, Congressional As introduced, updates reference to 2020 TIGER system. Amends TCA Section 2-16-103. by *Camper.
- **House Bill No. 2840** -- TennCare As introduced, requires the bureau to, in consultation with and approval of the commissioner of finance and administration, develop and implement a program substantially similar to the federal centers for medicare and medicaid services' Emergency Triage, Treat, and Transport model for emergency services. Amends TCA Title 71. by *Camper.
- **House Bill No. 2841** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of As introduced, requires the department to establish a behavioral health jail diversion grant program and a community crisis response grant program for the purpose of supporting community response and jail diversion programs related to mental and behavioral health. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 9; Title 33 and Title 41. by *Camper.
- **House Bill No. 2842** -- Election Laws As introduced, requires the county election commission to designate restroom facilities in each building in which the election is held that are for the use of workers or volunteers working for a campaign; prohibits county election commissions from prohibiting workers or volunteers from using the designated restroom facilities if the worker or volunteer covers or removes clothing and accourtements bearing campaign material. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 7. by *Camper.
- **House Bill No. 2843** -- Public Health As introduced, enacts the "Equitable Health Outcomes Act" to create the health outcomes review board within the department of health. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Camper.

- **House Bill No. 2844** -- Education As introduced, enacts the "K-12 Block Grant Act," which distributes block grants to each LEA to improve the quality of education; appropriates \$250 million from excess state tax revenues over-collected in fiscal years 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 for K-12 block grants. Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 49. by *Camper.
- **House Bill No. 2845** -- Mental Illness As introduced, specifies that the statewide planning and policy council for the department of mental health must submit its annual report to the governor and the general assembly by September 15. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 8; Title 16; Title 24; Title 33; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2846 -- Taxes, Franchise As introduced, increases from 25 to 30 the number of qualified jobs that a qualified business entity must create within an investment period, not to exceed three years, to qualify for a job tax credit. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2847 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance As introduced, designates July 16 as "Ida B. Wells Day." Amends TCA Title 15, Chapter 2. by *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2848 -- Bail, Bail Bonds As introduced, requires bail to be set in an amount that the defendant has the ability to pay; requires the court, prior to setting bail, to enter findings on the record by clear and convincing evidence that money bail is necessary and no other conditions, supports, or services will ensure community safety and court appearance, as required. Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 11. by *Camper.
- **House Bill No. 2849** -- Physicians and Surgeons As introduced, authorizes the board of medical examiners and the board of osteopathic examination to issue short-term visitor clinical training licenses to eligible foreign medical graduates and physicians as a limited, temporary license to engage in the supervised practice of medicine for up to 90 days. Amends TCA Title 63. by *Kumar.
- **House Bill No. 2850** -- Firearms and Ammunition As introduced, requires the department of safety to create a voucher program for the purpose of providing a handgun safety course to purchasers of handguns at no cost to the handgun purchaser; limits the value of the voucher to \$30. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 39. by *Kumar.
- **House Bill No. 2851** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies As introduced, adds life insurance and long-term care insurance to the types of insurance for which an insurance provider is prohibited from denying coverage or varying the premiums, terms, or conditions of coverage on the basis of an individual's genetic information. Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7. by *Kumar.
- *House Bill No. 2852 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance As introduced, creates the campaign finance reform commission and charges the commission with certain duties related to campaign finance reform. Amends TCA Title 2; Title 3 and Title 4, Chapter 55. by *Kumar.
- **House Bill No. 2853** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, changes the offense of assault against a first responder or nurse to assault against a first responder or healthcare provider; defines healthcare provider as a person registered, licensed, or certified under title 33, title 63, or title 68. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 63. by *Kumar.

*House Bill No. 2854 -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, authorizes up to 10 days of paid COVID-19 sick leave for full-time and part-time public school employees, including employees caring for a family member who has COVID-19 or who live with a person who has COVID-19; requires the department of education to amend its federal plan to include COVID-19 paid sick leave for early childhood program employees. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2855 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, prohibits a health benefit plan from denying payment for emergency services if the symptoms presented by an enrollee of a health benefit plan and recorded by the attending provider indicate that an emergency medical condition could exist, regardless of the final diagnosis of the symptoms. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 23. by *Kumar.

House Bill No. 2856 -- Springfield - Subject to local approval, reduces the number of readings required for the passage of ordinances by the board of mayor and aldermen from three to two; raises the monetary limit on purchases that do not require competitive bidding from \$4,000 to \$25,000. - Amends Chapter 158 of the Private Acts of 1927; as amended and rewritten. by *Kumar.

House Bill No. 2857 -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, removes the requirement that the credentials held by a person to practice as a central service technician must have been administered by the International Association of Healthcare Central Service Material Management or the Certification Board for Sterile Processing and Distribution, Inc. - Amends TCA Section 68-11-239. by *Kumar.

House Bill No. 2858 -- Public Health - As introduced, removes references to conditions of participation from Medicare and Medicaid in the title definitions of "governmental entity" and "private business" that apply to certain statutes related to addressing COVID-19. - Amends TCA Title 14. by *Kumar.

House Bill No. 2859 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, creates a process for a person to file a voluntary waiver of firearm rights for the purpose of prohibiting the person from purchasing a firearm; provides for a revocation of the voluntary waiver of firearm rights; creates the offense of selling or transferring a firearm to a person knowing that the person has executed a voluntary waiver of firearm rights that has not been revoked. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-504 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Kumar.

House Bill No. 2860 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the Class C misdemeanor of restraining a dog with a chain, cord, tether, cable, or similar device while a disaster is imminent or occurring; states that a person is not subject to prosecution for a violation unless the person has previously received a warning citation for a violation. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 44, Chapter 17. by *Kumar.

*House Bill No. 2861 -- Education - As introduced, revises student eligibility criteria for an education savings account; establishes the 2024-2025 fiscal year as the fiscal year in which the cost differential factor must be eliminated from the basic education program. - Amends TCA Section 49-3-307(a)(4) and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 26. by *Curcio.

- **House Bill No. 2862** -- Welfare As introduced, requires TennCare to develop and implement a three-year pilot program to provide a continuous glucose monitor to each patient with diabetes who is a TennCare beneficiary; authorizes the director of TennCare to seek a federal waiver deemed necessary to implement the pilot program. Amends TCA Title 71. by *Dixie, *Lynn, *Ramsey, *Smith.
- *House Bill No. 2863 -- Redistricting, Legislative As introduced, updates references to 2020 TIGER system and geography; clarifies provisions concerning districts, terms, and vacancies prior to November 2022 elections. Amends TCA Section 3-1-102. by *Dixie.
- *House Bill No. 2864 -- Open Meetings As introduced, removes authorization for certain municipalities to hold public meetings in which some members of the governing body are participating electronically; adds requirements for notice, public access, and public participation for public meetings of governing bodies of state boards, agencies, and commissions in which some members are participating electronically; removes a member of such governing body if the member physically attends less than 50 percent of the body's meetings in a two-year period. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 44. by *Wright.
- *House Bill No. 2865 -- Barbers and/or Cosmetologists As introduced, extends, from 10 days of an effective date to 15 days, the time within which the board of cosmetology and barber examiners must publish a compilation of its laws, rules, and any amendments or other changes to the laws and rules on its website. Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 4. by *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2866 -- Consumer Protection As introduced, increases from \$1,000 to \$2,000, the amount of a civil penalty per violation that a court assesses against an individual or corporation found in violation of the Consumer Telemarketing Protection Act of 1990. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12; Title 43; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 50; Title 61; Title 66 and Title 67. by *Cochran.
- **House Bill No. 2867** -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, exempts spouses of law enforcement officials from the list of persons prohibited from obtaining a retail license to sell alcoholic beverages. Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 3. by *Travis.
- *House Bill No. 2868 -- Immigration As introduced, specifies that the Tennessee office for refugees may submit quarterly reports by electronic or other means. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9; Title 37; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Williams.
- *House Bill No. 2869 -- Game and Fish Laws As introduced, creates exception to Class C misdemeanor offense for hunting over bait when bait was on the land before hunting begins and the land is not posted by wildlife officers as a baited dove field. Amends TCA Title 70. by *Griffey.
- *House Bill No. 2870 -- Education, Dept. of As introduced, requires the department to develop a database that contains certain information regarding the department's contracts and grants and publish the database on the department's website; requires each LEA to publish the database on the LEA's website. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2871** -- Education, Dept. of As introduced, reduces, from 60 days after the general assembly adjourns to 45 days after the general assembly adjourns, the period of time within which the department must annually update its list of all laws related to the rights of students and their parents or legal guardians. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Weaver.

- *House Bill No. 2872 -- Historical Commission As introduced, prescribes a fine against a public entity for certain acts relating to historic memorials. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 4; Title 4, Chapter 11; Title 4, Chapter 12 and Title 4, Chapter 13. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2873** -- Historical Sites and Preservation As introduced, requires certain artifacts from the Civil War pertaining to the Confederate States of America be transferred to the Sons of Confederate Veterans for preservation, at their cost. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 11. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2874** -- Museums As introduced, transfers the custody and care of the bust of Nathan Bedford Forrest held in the Tennessee State Museum to the Sons of Confederate Veterans. by *Weaver.
- *House Bill No. 2875 -- Jails, Local Lock-ups As introduced, prohibits a corrections official from using restraints on a prisoner or detainee known to be pregnant, including during labor, transport to a medical facility, delivery, and postpartum, unless the corrections official makes an individualized determination that the prisoner or detainee presents an extraordinary circumstance; establishes other restrictions on the manner in which a pregnant prisoner or detainee may be restrained under certain circumstances. Amends TCA Title 41. by *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2876 -- AIDS, HIV and STDs As introduced, enacts the "HIV Modernization Act"; specifies that licensed medical laboratories must report the results of the HIV test required in regard to assault victims by electronic or other means. Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Title 68. by *Johnson G.
- *House Bill No. 2877 -- Human Rights Commission As introduced, decreases, from 180 to 185 days, the time after the commission of an alleged discriminatory practice within which a complaint about the discriminatory practice must be filed with the commission. Amends TCA Title 4; Section 8-50-103 and Section 68-1-113. by *Todd.
- *House Bill No. 2878 -- Health Care As introduced, increases, from three consecutive meetings to four consecutive meetings, the number of meetings a member of the council of certified professional midwifery may miss without excuse before being removed and replaced with a new member appointed by the commissioner of health. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 63 and Title 68, Chapter 11. by *Johnson G.
- **House Bill No. 2879** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies As introduced, reduces from 30 to 15 days, the amount of time that an entity or individual licensed under the insurance laws of this state has to respond to a request by the department of commerce and insurance concerning a complaint filed against the entity or individual, unless another time period is provided in law. Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Helton.
- *House Bill No. 2880 -- Human Rights Commission As introduced, shortens from one year to six months, the time period in which the commission is to report to the governor and the general assembly concerning the commission's activities relative to Title VI. Amends TCA Title 4. by *Ragan.

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

On motion, bills listed below passed second consideration and were referred by the Speaker to Committee or held on the Clerk's desk as noted:

- *House Bill No. 2113 -- Human Rights -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2114 -- Real Property -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2115 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission -- House Education Administration Committee
- *House Bill No. 2116 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Instruction Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2117 -- Employees, Employers -- House Civil Justice Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2118 -- Sentencing -- House Criminal Justice Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2119 -- Tobacco, Tobacco Products -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2120 -- Food and Food Products -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2121 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2122 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2123 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee
 - House Bill No. 2124 -- Consumer Protection -- House Commerce Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2125 -- Public Records -- House State Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2126 -- Cooperatives -- House Commerce Committee
- *House Bill No. 2127 -- Tourist Development, Dept. of -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2128 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2129 -- Game and Fish Laws -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2130 -- Public Funds and Financing -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2131 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2132 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2133 -- Charitable Solicitations -- House State Government Committee

- *House Bill No. 2134 -- Deeds -- House Local Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2135 -- Domestic Violence -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2136 -- Public Contracts -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2137 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs -- House Education Administration Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2138 -- Education -- House Education Administration Committee
- *House Bill No. 2139 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2141 -- Open Meetings -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2142 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance -- House Naming & Designating Committee
- *House Bill No. 2143 -- Basic Education Program (BEP) -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
 - *House Bill No. 2144 -- Taxes, Excise -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2145 -- Children's Services, Dept. of -- House Civil Justice Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2146 -- Driver Licenses -- House Transportation Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2147 -- Sexual Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2148 -- State Universities -- House Education Administration Committee
- *House Bill No. 2149 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2150 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee
- *House Bill No. 2151 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2152 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
 - *House Bill No. 2153 -- Education -- House Education Instruction Committee
- *House Bill No. 2154 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2155 -- Election Laws -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

- *House Bill No. 2156 -- Public Health -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2157 -- University of Tennessee -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2158 -- Opioids -- House Health Committee
- House Bill No. 2159 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee
- House Bill No. 2160 -- Marriage -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2161 -- State Government -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2162 -- Health Care -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2163 -- Children's Services, Dept. of -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2164 -- Correction, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2165 -- Criminal Procedure -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2166 -- Education -- House Education Administration Committee
- *House Bill No. 2167 -- Water -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee
- *House Bill No. 2168 -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee
- *House Bill No. 2169 -- General Services, Dept. of -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2170 -- General Services, Dept. of -- House State Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2171 -- Controlled Substances House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2172 -- State Employees -- House State Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2173 -- Welfare -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
 - *House Bill No. 2174 -- Disabled Persons -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2175 -- Fees -- House Commerce Committee
- *House Bill No. 2176 -- Labor and Workforce Development, Dept. of -- House Commerce Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2177 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2178 -- Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2179 -- Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2180 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2181 -- Taxes -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2182 -- Taxes, Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2183 -- Taxes -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2184 -- DUI Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2185 -- Financial Responsibility Law -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2186 -- Tourist Development, Dept. of -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2187 -- Workers Compensation -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2188 -- Schools, Charter -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2189 -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 2190 -- Beer -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2191 -- Health Care -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2192 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2193 -- Health Care -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2194 -- Transportation, Dept. of -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2195 -- District Attorneys -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2196 -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 2197 -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2198 -- Fentress County -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2199 -- Human Rights -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2200 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2201 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2202 -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2203 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2205 -- Human Rights -- House Commerce Committee

*House Bill No. 2206 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2207 -- Psychologists -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2208 -- Motor Vehicles -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2209 -- Real Property -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2210 -- Wine & Wineries -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2211 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2212 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2213 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2214 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance Committee

*House Bill No. 2215 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2216 -- Drugs, Prescription -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2217 -- Motor Vehicles -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2218 -- Mental Illness -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2219 -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2220 -- Coroners -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2221 -- Real Property -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2222 -- Immigration -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2223 -- Boats, Boating -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2224 -- Water Pollution -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2225 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- House Insurance Committee

House Bill No. 2226 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2227 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2228 -- Drugs, Prescription -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2229 -- Tort Liability and Reform -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2230 -- Local Government, General -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2231 -- Nurses, Nursing -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2232 -- County Boundaries -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2233 -- TennCare -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2234 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2235 -- Foster Care -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2236 -- Child Abuse -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2237 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2238 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2239 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2240 -- Lottery, Charitable -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2241 -- County Government -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2242 -- Codes -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2243 -- Human Rights -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2244 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2245 -- Motor Vehicles -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2246 -- Economic and Community Development, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2247 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2248 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2249 -- Education, Higher -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2250 -- Mental Illness -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2251 -- Traffic Safety -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2252 -- Litter Control -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2253 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2254 -- Law Enforcement -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2255 -- Juvenile Offenders -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2256 -- Pest Control -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2257 -- Remedies and Special Proceedings -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2258 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2259 -- Drugs, Prescription -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2260 -- Real Property -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2261 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2262 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance Committee

House Bill No. 2263 -- Taxes, Business -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2264 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2265 -- Taxes -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 2266 -- Taxes, Sales -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2267 -- Auctions and Auctioneers -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2268 -- Criminal Procedure -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2269 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2270 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2271 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2272 -- Health, Dept. of -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2273 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2274 -- Real Property -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2275 -- Medical Occupations -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2276 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2277 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2278 -- Railroads -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2280 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2282 -- Education, Higher -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2283 -- Professions and Occupations -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2284 -- Wills -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2285 -- State Symbols -- House Naming & Designating Committee

House Bill No. 2286 -- Guardians and Conservators -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2287 -- Highway Signs -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2288 -- Real Property -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2289 -- Students -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2290 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2291 -- Education -- House Education Instruction Committee

House Bill No. 2292 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2293 -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2294 -- Education, Curriculum -- House Education Instruction Committee

*House Bill No. 2295 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2296 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance -- House Naming & Designating Committee

House Bill No. 2297 -- Basic Education Program (BEP) -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2298 -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2299 -- Sexual Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2300 -- Basic Education Program (BEP) -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2301 -- Law Enforcement -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2302 -- TennCare -- House Insurance Committee

*House Bill No. 2303 -- County Government -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2304 -- Professions and Occupations -- House Commerce Committee

*House Bill No. 2305 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2306 -- Probation and Parole -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2307 -- Juvenile Offenders -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2308 -- Privacy, Confidentiality -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2309 -- State Government -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2310 -- Banks and Financial Institutions -- House Commerce Committee

*House Bill No. 2311 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Commerce Committee

*House Bill No. 2312 -- Education -- House Education Instruction Committee

*House Bill No. 2313 -- Human Rights -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2314 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2315 -- Public Utilities -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2316 -- Education -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2317 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2318 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2319 -- Bail, Bail Bonds -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2320 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2321 -- Cooperatives -- House Commerce Committee

*House Bill No. 2322 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2323 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2324 -- Advertising -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2325 -- Motor Vehicles -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2326 -- Motor Vehicles -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2327 -- Search & Seizure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2328 -- Mining and Quarrying -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2329 -- Criminal Offenses -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2330 -- Handgun Permits -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2331 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2332 -- Jails, Local Lock-ups -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2333 -- Courts, Juvenile -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2334 -- Domestic Violence -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2335 -- Controlled Substances -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2336 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2337 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2338 -- Fines and Penalties -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2339 -- Correction, Dept. of -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2340 -- Public Funds and Financing -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 2341 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2342 -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 2343 -- Education -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2344 -- Local Education Agencies -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2345 -- Students -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2346 -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2347 -- Health Care -- House Insurance Committee

*House Bill No. 2348 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2349 -- Beer -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2350 -- Courts -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2351 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance Committee

House Bill No. 2352 -- Cemeteries -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2353 -- Trusts -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2354 -- Child Custody and Support -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2355 -- Bail, Bail Bonds -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2356 -- Municipal Government -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2357 -- Divorce, Annulment and Alimony -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2358 -- Probate Law -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2359 -- Guardians and Conservators -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2360 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2361 -- Safety -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2362 -- Criminal Procedure -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2363 -- Labor and Workforce Development, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2364 -- Planning, Public -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2365 -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2366 -- Business and Commerce -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2367 -- Sheriffs -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2368 -- Weapons -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2369 -- Common Carriers -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2370 -- Registers of Deeds -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2371 -- Child Abuse -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2372 -- Real Property -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2373 -- Safety -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2374 -- Transportation, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2375 -- Child Custody and Support -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2376 -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2377 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2378 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2379 -- Gaming -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2380 -- Railroads -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2381 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2382 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2383 -- County Government -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2384 -- Public Employees -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2385 -- Public Contracts -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2386 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2387 -- Wine & Wineries -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2388 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2389 -- Business and Commerce -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

- *House Bill No. 2390 -- Mental Illness -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- House Bill No. 2391 -- Telecommunications -- House Commerce Committee
- House Bill No. 2392 -- Municipal Government -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2393 -- Municipal Government -- House Local Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2394 -- Driver Licenses -- House Transportation Committee
- *House Bill No. 2395 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2396 -- Labor -- House Commerce Committee
- *House Bill No. 2397 -- Public Contracts -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2398 -- Employees, Employers -- House Commerce Committee
- House Bill No. 2399 -- Schools, Charter -- House Education Instruction Committee
- House Bill No. 2400 -- Schools, Charter -- House Education Instruction Committee
- *House Bill No. 2401 -- Judges and Chancellors -- House Civil Justice Committee
- **House Bill No. 2402** -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- House Transportation Committee
 - House Bill No. 2403 -- Real Property -- House Commerce Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2404 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2405 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
 - *House Bill No. 2406 -- Telecommunications -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
 - House Bill No. 2407 -- TennCare -- House Insurance Committee
- *House Bill No. 2408 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration Committee
- *House Bill No. 2409 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee
- *House Bill No. 2410 -- Tennessee Fish & Wildlife Commission -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
- *House Bill No. 2411 -- Tennessee Fish & Wildlife Commission -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2412 -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2413 -- Railroads -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2414 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2415 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2416 -- Abortion -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2417 -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2418 -- Probate Law -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2419 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2420 -- Fiscal Review Committee -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2421 -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2422 -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2423 -- Civil Procedure -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2424 -- Litter Control -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2425 -- Unemployment Compensation -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2426 -- Public Funds and Financing -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 2427 -- Forfeiture of Assets -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2428 -- Probation and Parole -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2429 -- Education, State Board of -- House Education Instruction Committee

*House Bill No. 2430 -- Education -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2431 -- Equalization Board -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2432 -- DUI Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2433 -- Local Education Agencies -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2434 -- Real Property -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2435 -- Real Property -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2436 -- Scholarships and Financial Aid -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2437 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2438 -- Arbitration -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2439 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2440 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2441 -- Sexual Offenders -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2442 -- Law Enforcement -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2443 -- Landlord and Tenant -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2444 -- Judicial Officers -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2445 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2446 -- Children -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2447 -- Physicians and Surgeons -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2448 -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2449 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2450 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2451 -- Children -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2452 -- Human Rights -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2453 -- Children's Services, Dept. of -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2454 -- Obscenity and Pornography -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2455 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2456 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance Committee

*House Bill No. 2457 -- Game and Fish Laws -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2458 -- Controlled Substances -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2459 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2460 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Instruction Committee

*House Bill No. 2461 -- Education -- House Education Instruction Committee

*House Bill No. 2462 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2463 -- Workers Compensation -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2464 -- Commerce and Insurance, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2465 -- Opioids -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2466 -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2467 -- Taxes, Real Property -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2468 -- Schools, Charter -- House Education Instruction Committee

*House Bill No. 2469 -- TennCare -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2470 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2471 -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2472 -- Charitable Institutions -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2473 -- Emergency Communications Districts -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2474 -- Telecommunications -- House Commerce Committee

House Bill No. 2475 -- Surplus Property -- House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2476 -- Water -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2477 -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2478 -- Medical Occupations -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2479 -- Law Enforcement -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2480 -- Public Utility Commission -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2481 -- Internet and e-Commerce -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2482 -- Common Carriers -- House Commerce Committee

*House Bill No. 2483 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2484 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration Committee

*House Bill No. 2485 -- Lobbying, Lobbyists -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2486 -- Health Care -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2487 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2488 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2489 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2490 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2491 -- Education, Curriculum -- House Education Instruction Committee

*House Bill No. 2492 -- Bail, Bail Bonds -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2493 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Administration Committee

House Bill No. 2494 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2495 -- Controlled Substances -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2496 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits -- House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

House Bill No. 2497 -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2498 -- Economic and Community Development, Dept. of -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

House Bill No. 2499 -- Taxes -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

*House Bill No. 2500 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2501 -- Human Rights -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2502 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House State Government Committee

- *House Bill No. 2503 -- Planning, Public -- House Local Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2504 -- Health, Dept. of -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2505 -- Unemployment Compensation -- House Commerce Committee
- *House Bill No. 2506 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2507 -- Public Health -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2508 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2509 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk
 - *House Bill No. 2510 -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2512 -- Sexual Offenders -- Caption Bill Held on House Desk

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

The committees that met on **February 3, 2022**, reported the following:

COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR AND RULES

The Calendar and Rules Committee met and set the following bills on the **Regular Calendar** for **February 7, 2022**: House Bills Nos. 1677 and 1731.

It further reports that it set the following bills and resolutions on the **Consent Calendar** for **February 7, 2022**: House Bills Nos. 1705 and 1844.

CONSENT CALENDAR

- **House Resolution No. 135** -- Memorials, Personal Achievement Dylan McDonald, Eagle Scout. by *Gillespie, *Leatherwood, *Vaughan, *Lamar, *Miller.
- **House Resolution No. 136** -- Memorials, Personal Occasion Agnes Idella Owens, 100th birthday. by *Shaw, *Parkinson, *Marsh.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 743 -- Memorials, Death Dr. Jamye Coleman Williams. by *Love.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 744 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Hank Williams, Jr., Country Music Hall of Fame. by *Griffey.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 745 -- Memorials, Recognition Carlos the raccoon. by *Gillespie, *Carringer, *White.

- *House Joint Resolution No. 746 -- Memorials, Death Billy "Teakettle" Smith. by *Keisling.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 747 -- Memorials, Death Major General (Ret.) John Singlaub. by *Whitson, *Wright, *Crawford, *Towns, *Ragan, *Freeman, *Beck, *Hardaway, *Clemmons, *Hodges, *McKenzie, *Hakeem, *Reedy, *Mannis, *Todd, *Eldridge, *Thompson, *Hicks T, *Alexander, *Baum, *Boyd, *Bricken, *Byrd, *Calfee, *Campbell S, *Camper, *Carringer, *Casada, *Cepicky, *Chism, *Cochran, *Cooper, *Curcio, *Darby, *Dixie, *Farmer, *Gant, *Garrett, *Grills, *Hall, *Harris, *Hawk, *Hazlewood, *Helton, *Hicks G, *Holsclaw, *Howell, *Hulsey, *Jernigan, *Johnson C, *Johnson G, *Keisling, *Lafferty, *Lamar, *Lamberth, *Leatherwood, *Littleton, *Love, *Lynn, *Marsh, *Miller, *Mitchell, *Moon, *Ogles, *Parkinson, *Powell, *Powers, *Ramsey, *Rudd, *Rudder, *Russell, *Sexton C, *Sexton J, *Shaw, *Sherrell, *Smith, *Sparks, *Stewart, *Terry, *Travis, *Vital, *Warner, *Weaver, *White, *Williams, *Windle, *Zachary.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 748 -- Memorials, Death Bishop Aron Bond Hopkins. by *Parkinson.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 750 -- Memorials, Death D. Bruce Shine. by *Hulsey, *Clemmons, *Hawk.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 751 -- Memorials, Recognition Tennessee Department of Agriculture, Mississippi River/Gulf of Mexico Watershed Nutrient Task Force. by *Halford, *Wright, *Hulsey, *Hurt, *Vital, *Cochran, *Cooper, *Grills, *Todd.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 758 -- Memorials, Recognition Cash Daniels. by *Vital, *Hazlewood, *Smith, *Helton, *Hakeem.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 759 -- Memorials, Retirement Sergeant Steve Miller, Chattanooga Police Department. by *Vital, *Hazlewood, *Smith, *Helton, *Hakeem, *Mannis.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 761 -- Memorials, Recognition The Battle of Shiloh, 160th anniversary reenactment. by *Byrd, *Haston, *Reedy, *Todd, *Marsh, *Sparks.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 762 -- Memorials, Sports Gary Plumlee, Clay County Sports Hall of Fame. by *Keisling.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 763 -- Memorials, Sports Sharon Walker Kimes, Clay County Sports Hall of Fame. by *Keisling.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 764 -- Memorials, Recognition Community Development Center, 50th anniversary. by *Marsh.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 765 -- Memorials, Recognition Day of Tears, January 22, 2022. by *Powers.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 820 -- Memorials, Retirement David W. Purkey. by *Southerland, *Bell, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Robinson, *Rose, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro, *McNally.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 821 -- Memorials, Retirement Teresa Cannon. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 822 -- Memorials, Recognition Cocke County High School, All-State Tennessee Choir members. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 823 -- Memorials, Recognition Cocke County High School, All-East Tennessee Choir members. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 824 -- Memorials, Sports Sydney Clevenger, 1,000 career basketball points. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 825 -- Memorials, Sports Anthony Steinbacher, Cocke County High School, All-Region and All-Academic. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 826 -- Memorials, Sports Carson Devotie, Cocke County High School, All-Region. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 827 -- Memorials, Sports Jacob Robertson, Cocke County High School, All-Region. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 828 -- Memorials, Sports Baylor Baxter, Cocke County High School, All-Region. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 829 -- Memorials, Sports Roman Stewart, Cocke County High School, All-Region and Kick Returner of the Year. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 830 -- Memorials, Sports Brazen Stewart, Cocke County High School, All-Region. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 832 -- Memorials, Recognition Ken Smith. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 833 -- Memorials, Personal Achievement Harland Jon Muller, Eagle Scout. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 834 -- Memorials, Recognition Jerry S. Young. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 835 -- Memorials, Sports Greeneville Middle School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 836 -- Memorials, Sports South Greene Middle School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 837 -- Memorials, Recognition Braylan Feezel. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 838 -- Memorials, Death William Forster Baird. by *Yager.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 863 -- Memorials, Recognition Bloomingdale Ruritan Club, 65th anniversary. by *Lundberg.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 864 -- Memorials, Recognition Doris Johnson, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 865 -- Memorials, Recognition James Shackelford, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 866 -- Memorials, Recognition James Jenkins, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 867 -- Memorials, Recognition Jadyn Cotner, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 868 -- Memorials, Recognition Karen Smith, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 869 -- Memorials, Recognition Deborah Chumley, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 870 -- Memorials, Recognition Whittlee Shuford, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 871 -- Memorials, Recognition Kenneth Coffey, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 872 -- Memorials, Recognition Macy Strader, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 873 -- Memorials, Recognition Marilyn Toppins, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Niceley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 874 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Chris Garrett, REALTOR of the Year. by *Reeves, *White.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 875 -- Memorials, Sports Lipscomb Academy football team, 2021 Division II, Class AA state champions. by *Yarbro.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 876 -- Memorials, Death Richard Davis Skiles, Jr. by *Stevens.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 877 -- Memorials, Sports Donelson Christian Academy, TSSAA Division II, Class A state champions. by *Campbell.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 878 -- Memorials, Death Father George Frederick "Fred" Dettwiller II. by *Campbell, *Yager, *Powers.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 879 -- Memorials, Death Cheryl A. Hickmon. by *Gilmore, *Akbari.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 880 -- Memorials, Recognition Tennessee State University Aristocrat of Bands, 75th anniversary. by *Gilmore, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Campbell, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Kyle, *Lundberg, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Robinson, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Swann, *Walley, *Watson, *White, *Yager, *Yarbro, *McNally.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 881 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Lisa Herren, Sumner County Schools Supervisor of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 883 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Holly Pring, Mill Creek Middle School, Classified Employee of the Year. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 884 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Stephanie McGaha, Fairview High School, Teacher of the Year. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 885 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Elaina Gallas, Edmondson Elementary School, Teacher of the Year. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 886 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Rita Binkley, Fairview Elementary School, Elementary Classified Employee of the Year. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 887 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Landon Hardison, Hillsboro School, Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 888 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Dave Burnham, Ravenwood High School, Classified Employee of the Year. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 942 -- Memorials, Death Captain Shane Clifford. by *Haile.

OBJECTION--CONSENT CALENDAR

Objections were filed to the following on the Consent Calendar:

House Joint Resolution No. 744: by Rep. Dixie

House Joint Resolution No. 765: by Rep. Dixie

Under the rules, House Joint Resolution Nos. 744 and 765 were placed at the heel of the calendar for February 7, 2022.

Rep. Whitson moved that all members voting aye on House Joint Resolution No. 747 be added as co-prime sponsors, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Ragan and Todd.

Rep. Love moved that the Davidson County delegation be added as co-prime sponsors on Senate Joint Resolution No. 880, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Ragan and Todd.

Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Zachary moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate Joint Resolutions confirming appointments on the Clerk's desk be substituted for House Joint Resolutions confirming the same appointments, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	87
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Eldridge, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Grills, Hakeem, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--87

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

BILLS WITHDRAWN

On motion of Rep. Weaver, **House Bill No. 1541** was recalled from the Commerce Committee and withdrawn from the House.

On motion of Rep. Ramsey, House Bill No. 2529 was withdrawn from the House.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Bill No. 1025 Reps. Howell, Russell, J. Sexton and Farmer as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1642 Reps. Jernigan, Towns, Cooper, Helton and Dixie as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1766 Reps. Hardaway, Moody, Beck, J. Sexton, Lamberth, Curcio and Farmer as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1867 Rep. Terry as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1911 Rep. Lynn as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1915 Rep. Curcio as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2416 Reps. Moody, Cochran, Littleton, Rudder, Leatherwood, Lynn, Todd, Vital, Helton, Campbell, Carringer, Sherrell, Crawford, Rudd and White as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2458 Rep. Powell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2471 Rep. Smith as Second prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2641 Rep. Powell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2767 Rep. Baum as First prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2814 Reps. White, Love and Cooper as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2816 Reps. White, Love, Cooper, Camper, Chism and Dixie as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2862 Reps. Lynn, Ramsey and Smith as prime sponsors.

SPONSORS WITHDRAWN

On Motion, Rep. Campbell withdrew as sponsor of House Bill No. 1214.

On Motion, Rep. Helton withdrew as sponsor of House Bill No. 2234.

On Motion, Rep. Helton withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2235**.

On Motion, Rep. Helton withdrew as sponsor of House Bill No. 2236.

On Motion, Rep. Helton withdrew as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2471**.

On Motion, Rep. Sherrell withdrew as sponsor of House Bill No. 2767.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolution No. 753; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Resolutions Nos. 135, 136 and 137; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signature of the Speaker.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED February 3, 2022

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Resolutions Nos. 135, 136 and 137.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 920; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject, amended, and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730 and 732; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 1709, 1710, 1711, 1714, 1715, 1716, 1720, 1721, 1729, 1735, 1739, 1741 and 1745; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

- *Senate Bill No. 1709 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the department of tourist development to June 30, 2026. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3. by *Roberts. (HB1790 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1710 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the department of veterans services to June 30, 2027. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3. by *Roberts. (HB1791 by *Ragan)

- *Senate Bill No. 1711 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the domestic violence state coordinating council to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 38, Chapter 12. by *Roberts. (HB1792 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1714 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Interstate Compact on Mental Health to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 33, Chapter 9. by *Roberts. (HB1795 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1715 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 37, Chapter 4, Part 2. by *Roberts. (HB1796 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1716 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Interstate Insurance Product Regulation Compact of 2007 to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 56, Chapter 58. by *Roberts. (HB1797 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1720 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the school bond authority to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 12. by *Roberts. (HB1801 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1721 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 68, Chapter 202, Part 7. by *Roberts. (HB1802 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1729 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Tennessee center for earthquake research and information to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 8, Part 6. by *Roberts. (HB1810 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1735 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Tennessee life and health insurance guaranty association to June 30, 2030. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 56, Chapter 12. by *Roberts. (HB1816 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1739 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Tennessee rehabilitative initiative in correction board to June 30, 2027. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 41, Chapter 22, Part 4. by *Roberts. (HB1820 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1741 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Tennessee soil and water conservation commission to June 30, 2026. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 43, Chapter 14. by *Roberts. (HB1822 by *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1745 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, terminates the West Fork Drakes Creek dam and reservoir interstate authority with no wind down period. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 64, Chapter 1, Part 9. by *Roberts. (HB1826 by *Ragan)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817 and 818; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

ENGROSSED BILLS February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: The following bills have been examined, engrossed and are ready for transmission to the Senate: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 743, 745, 746, 747, 748, 750, 751, 758, 759, 761, 762, 763 and 764;

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS February 3, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 711, 713, 714, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 732 and 753; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED February 3, 2022

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 711, 713, 714, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 732 and 753.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ROLL CALL

Present87	The roll call was taken with the following results:	
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Representatives present were Alexander, Baum, Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Camper, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Darby, Dixie, Eldridge, Farmer, Freeman, Gant, Garrett, Grills, Hakeem, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Lafferty, Lamar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton -- 87

RECESS

On motion of Rep. Gant, the House stood in recess until 5:00 p.m., Monday, February 7, 2022.